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MOVE TO HAVE THIRD PARTY IN 1932 GAINING

Growing Conviction That Roosevelt Will Lose Stirs Action.

NORRIS IS WANTED BY "LIBERAL" BLOC

G. O. P. Progressives Now Concede That Hoover Will Be Named.

By EDWARD T. FOLLIARD.

The yuletide lull at Capitol Hill was broken yesterday by serious talk of a third party movement in 1932.

Republican progressives, who are opposed to President Hoover, now concede that there is no chance of preventing his nomination for a second term at the Chicago convention in June.

However, it is not this that has stirred up talk of a third party, but a growing conviction among the progressives that Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York will be headed off in his dash for the Democratic nomination.

Liberal Nominee Wanted.

If neither party should nominate a man who could be classed as a "liberal," the progressives argue, there will be a real demand for a third party in 1932.

It was reported yesterday that a group of Western Republicans had called on Senator George Norris (Republican Progressive), Nebraska, in the last week or so and urged him to become a presidential candidate on a third-party ticket.

The Nebraskan, who in 1928 bolted the Republican ticket and supported Alfred E. Smith, of New York, the Democratic nominee, declined to take the lead in such a movement. However, it is reported, he promised to support such a movement if one developed next summer.

Norris Changes Stand.

This was regarded as significant, because it is not so long ago that Senator Norris said he was convinced that, until the present system of electing a President has been changed, a third-party movement in this country is foredoomed to failure.

In the event the Democrats do nominate Gov. Roosevelt and the third party movement fizzles, Senator Norris is expected to support the New Yorker in preference to President Hoover.

Three other men are looked upon as desirable presidential candidates by the third party faction at the Capitol. They are Senator William E. Borah (Republican), of Idaho; Senator Hiram Johnson (Republican), of California, and Gifford Pinchot, of Pennsylvania.

Shift by Borah Seen.

Borah, who, while he is regarded as an outstanding progressive, always has become "regular" as election day approached, is reported now to be veering more and more away from the Republican reservation.

Senator Johnson, who makes no secret of his dislike for President Hoover, was the vice presidential candidate on the unsuccessful Bull Moose ticket headed by Theodore Roosevelt in 1912.

Gov. Pinchot, who is regarded as a self-starting candidate, has received little encouragement from the Republican Progressives. Senator Smith Wildman Brookhart, of Iowa, tried to start a boom for him, but found his colleagues cool toward the erstwhile Bull Mooser.

Oppose His Dryness.

How, it was asked, could a wet like Senator Robert M. La Follette, of Wisconsin, support a man like Pinchot, who is so dry that he asked employes of the State of Pennsylvania to sign a teetotaler's pledge?

All four men—Norris, Borah, Johnson and Pinchot—have been urged to get into the presidential primaries and contest the nomination with President Hoover.

So far as Norris, Borah and Johnson are concerned, none of them is expected to yield to such urging, each of them being convinced that President Hoover's nomination is assured. Regular Republicans in Pennsylvania say that Gov. Pinchot could not expect to get more than a handful of delegates in that State.

U.S. to Have Observer Only at Debts Session

Hoover's Decision Is Learned After Series of Diplomatic Conversations; President Wants World to Center Attention on Recovery.

By HAROLD J. T. HORAN.

American participation in the forthcoming debts-reparation conference of governments in Holland or in Switzerland will be rigidly restricted to a silent nonvoting observer, it was learned authoritatively last night after a series of diplomatic visits to the State Department and an early morning call of Undersecretary of the Treasury Ogden L. Mills to the White House.

The German Ambassador, Baron von Prittwitz, and the French charge d'affaires, Pierre de la Blanchetal, called upon Secretary Stimson and the tenor of their conversations despite their excessively diplomatic reserve, was learned to have been exclusively the question of the conference.

President Hoover has determined to focus the energies of all governments upon the solution of internal problems, and until the preconference deliberations of Prime Minister MacDonald and Premier Laval evolve a definite program for the debts-reparations meeting, he will concentrate all his attention on the solution of unemployment, credit shrinkage and similar national worries.

The well-defined impression gained strength yesterday that the projected conference will be, in fact, only a preliminary meeting to deal with the emergency features of immediate relief to Germany as outlined by the experts of the Basel committee.

The real conference will follow the discussions at The Hague or at Lausanne, whichever city is selected for the conference of statesmen, and will be planned so as to insure the presence of an official American delegation. The attitude of the American congress in so resolutely delimiting the scope of the Hoover moratorium proposal, to preclude any reduction or cancellation of debts, has insured the absence of the United States at any international meeting where the agenda would be based on any intertwining of the subjects of war debts and reparations.

Such a conference is now being prepared by the transchannel conver-

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BRITISH START DRIVE TO STOP REPAYING U.S.

Press Opens Campaign Said to Be Favored by Rulers.

JOINT APPEAL SEEN AS EUROPEAN PLAN

Violent Attack Is Made on Congress for Refusing War Debt Revision.

London, Dec. 29 (U.P.).—A campaign to force revision or even repudiation of Great Britain's war debts to the United States was launched today by a section of the British press, which violently attacked the policy of the American Congress against an adjustment of these obligations.

The government, at the same time, although refraining from any request for war debt revision, may be willing to become a party to a joint European appeal to the United States, providing some continental nation assumes the initiative, it was said in well-informed sources. It was not considered likely, however, that Britain would immediately alter her decision not to make a direct request to the United States, even if she were satisfied that the plea would be granted.

Leaders in Campaign.

The newspapers of Lord Beaverbrook, including the Daily Express and the Evening Standard, led the anti-American campaign. After the Express had pointed out that certain Southern States repudiated debts last century to the loss of British subjects, the standard preeminently displayed a virulent article signed by a special contributor, who said:

"Repudiation is an ugly word, but it is less ugly when uttered by a nation which repudiated Wilson's signature on the treaty of Versailles; which tried to repudiate the Panama Canal treaty; and which still allows foreign bondholders to sue in vain for 90,000,000 or 100,000,000 pounds lent by Britons to the Southern States?

"However, recrimination is not fruitful. The question is: Have we any man big enough to tell America we mean to repudiate the Baldwin (debt) settlement of 1922, which never received the sanction of the nation and which was openly repudiated by Prime Minister Bonar Law?

Pleads for Courage.

"This step only requires courage and is rendered easier by the American confession that the United States must be bracketed with England as the milch cows of Europe."

The Standard published a caustic cartoon by the famous Low, depicting a chin-whiskered old gentleman labeled "United States Congress" seated by the fireside, over which hangs the motto: "It is better to receive than to give." A huge closed safe is in the background, and in the foreground the figures of an emaciated John Bull and a crippled Germany are holding out documents labeled "The Basel report" of the Young plan advisory committee urging debt revision. A plethoric France, holding a similar document behind his back, also is in the group.

The newspaper campaign was not far removed from the apparent change in the governmental attitude, which was believed to be more favorable than ever toward a European appeal to the United States, possibly for enlargement of the forthcoming reparations conference to permit American participation in discussion of the entire financial crisis.

Not Willing to Act Alone.

It was remarked that, apart from the fear of damaging credit abroad, Britain was not willing to act alone in applying for war debts revision, because such action would antagonize continental powers. Official circles were reticent in discussion of the possible developments, although it was believed any concerted action would be delayed for some weeks.

Paris, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Rumors of a Franco-British bloc against the United States at the impending reparations conference were answered officially today with the statement that current negotiations between London and Paris were for the purpose of avoiding misunderstandings when the conference opens.

Government officials recalled the demands made on France by the Viscount of Ickornshaw (Philip Snow-

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UNITE BUREAUS FOR ECONOMY, HOOVER URGES

Saving of Many Millions Without Impairment Is Seen in Plan.

AGENCY OVERLAPPING WOULD BE AVOIDED

President Specifically Cites Shipping Board and Public Works Program.

By LAWRENCE SULLIVAN.

President Hoover gave substance yesterday to Capitol Hill's flamboyant holiday demand for drastic reduction in Federal expenditures.

He outlined formally for the third time since 1929 his recommendation that Congress authorize the consolidation of overlapping governmental functions, the centralization of administrative authority over widely scattered agencies conducting the same general type of work, and the elimination of extravagant duplication in various administrative and regulatory offices.

The aggregate economies from such a modernization of the ponderous and loosely jointed Federal machine, he indicated, would run into many millions of dollars annually, but they would involve no impairment of the existing functions of the National Government.

Appropriate Time.

"The subject is an old one," the President recalled, "and now that economy absolutely must be the first order in government it is an appropriate time for Congress to take up the question and bring it to conclusion. Such action would comprise a major accomplishment of the present session of Congress."

At the same time the President recapitulated his recommendations on the subject to the Seventy-first and Seventy-second Congresses. These messages reviewed the various phases of the reorganization movement during the last quarter century.

"This subject has been under consideration for over twenty years," read the recommendation sent to the hill in December, 1929. "It was promised by both political parties in the recent campaign. It has been repeatedly examined by committees and commissions — congressional, executive and voluntary. The conclusions of these investigations have been unanimous that reorganization is a necessity of sound administration; of economy, of more effective governmental policies, and of relief to the citizen from unnecessary harassment in his relations with a multitude of scattered governmental agencies."

Two Consolidations.

For a quick beginning on the project, the President urged two consolidations "which have an important

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JAPANESE TAKE OVER MANCHURIA AS CHINA'S ARMY QUITS CHINCHOW

Associated Press Photo

The Far Eastern battle front now centers in the vicinity of Chinchow, last Chinese stronghold in Manchuria. With its evacuation by Marshal Chang Hsueh-Liang, its occupation by Japanese troops is believed imminent. Japan claims its advance is necessary to stamp out bandit activity in that region. Picture shows a detachment of Japanese soldiers moving into a position on the South Manchurian railway.

8 Trainloads of Troops Flee Toward Lanshan, Inside Great Wall.

CONFUSION PREVAILS; WIRES ARE CUT DOWN

Chang Gives Order to Leave After Being Defeated in Four More Battles.

Chinchow (Wednesday), Dec. 30 (A. P.).—Chinese soldiers began evacuating Chinchow today. Eight trainloads of troops moved southward toward Lanshan, inside the Great Wall. Additional forces east of Chinchow were rapidly withdrawing westward.

Great confusion prevailed among the Chinese populace at Kowpangtze, where every one was attempting to board the already crowded southbound trains. Japanese forces were expected to occupy Kowpangtze later in the day.

Chinese military officials said communication lines to Mukden had been severed, with the Japanese army cutting telegraph lines preparatory to taking over the Peiping-Mukden Railway to move troops into Chinchow.

Japanese Warships Leave.

Tokyo, Wednesday, Dec. 30 (U.P.). Many Japanese warships left Port Arthur last night, the correspondent of the newspaper Asahi reported.

The destination of the vessels was not announced officially, but it was believed they would patrol the coast off Shanhaikwan, where the Great Wall of China ends at the Yellow Sea, as a precautionary move in connection with withdrawal of Chinese troops from Chinchow.

The Japanese have made extensive precautions in the area south of Chinchow to prevent possible fighting in the region of Shanhaikwan or further south at Tientsin or Shanghai.

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—Peiping, China, Dec. 29.—Marshal Chang Hsueh-Liang ordered his Manchurian troops to evacuate the Chinchow area today and withdraw within the Great Wall of China.

"I have taken that action solely in order that the Japanese military may have no pretext for extending warfare and its consequences into north China, especially the Peiping-Tientsin area," Marshal Chang told the Associated Press.

News of the marshal's decision was made public after his headquarters announced that the Chinese had succeeded in cutting in behind the Japanese army that is pushing north from Yingkow toward Kowpangtze.

Many Fall in Fighting.

Headquarters also announced that several hundred Chinese and at least 150 Japanese had fallen in the fighting in the Yingkow-Kowpangtze district during the last few days.

Marshal Chang's decision apparently means complete success for the Japanese army in Manchuria.

Every other section of the province with the exception of Chinchow has been under Japanese domination for several weeks. The Tokyo government has repeatedly stated that it would not be satisfied until Marshal Chang's forces were wholly out of the province and behind the Great Wall.

The Tokyo position has been that the Japanese forces in Manchuria would face a dangerous menace so long as Chinese regulars and irregulars were concentrated in the Chinchow district. Japanese government officials have accused Marshal Chang of instigating bandit activity against the Japanese-owned South Manchurian Railway.

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Yingkow Manchuria, Dec. 29.—Moving forward exactly on schedule despite stiff resistance put up by Chinese infantrymen, Lieut. Gen. Jiro Tamon's Japanese army seized Panshansien today.

Artillery and aircraft played a large part in the day's successes. Four times the Chinese made a stand and four times they were bombed out of their positions and forced to retreat over the snow-covered plains.

The weather was somewhat mitigated today, the temperature being a few degrees below zero Fahrenheit, but it was bitter cold for fighting.

The advance started early this morning from Tawa, which was captured yesterday by the Japanese, who

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MURRAY GAINS RUNG IN NOMINATION RACE

Oklahoma Party Convention Set for Feb. 20, Backing Use of Name in East.

Oklahoma City, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Oklahoma Democratic leaders greased the ways today for the impending launching of Gov. W. H. (Alfalfa Bill) Murray's candidacy for the Democratic presidential nomination.

The Democratic State committee bowed to the wishes of the executive in fixing February 20 as the date for the State party convention after hearing that Murray's name would be placed before the Democratic voters of New Hampshire in the presidential preference primary March 1.

Ed Semans, of Oklahoma City, a close friend of Murray, told the committee the governor desired the Oklahoma convention held early in the year so that he could have the backing of his own State's delegation to the national convention before seeking the indorsement of the New Hampshire voters.

Gov. Murray attended to his official duties at the capitol while the committee was meeting and made no comment. He has stated he would be a candidate only if there is a popular demand and has left it to others to foster the presidential boom.

Opponents of Gov. Murray on the committee sought to delay the State convention, but factional differences finally were composed and the committee action was made unanimous.

"We don't want it to get out of the State that the executive committee is divided on what Murray wants," said Scott Ferris, national committeeman, who acted as a peacemaker.

The Statewide precinct caucuses will be held January 8 to choose delegates to county conventions. The county conventions will meet January 23 to name the delegates to the State convention.

Despite the defeat of his legislative reform measures at the recent Statewide initiative election, Gov. Murray has announced he expects to control the State party organization "from top to bottom" in the reorganization for next year's campaign.

Gov. Murray blamed the election outcome on wet roads in rural districts, where he has his strongest support and asserted he was "five times stronger than the strongest man of the opposition."

There has been talk of maintaining the Citizens' League, which is credited with the defeat of the governor's initiative program. However, the organization, which included Republicans and Democrats, has made no effort to date toward opposing Gov. Murray as a candidate for the presidential nomination. The league's work has been centered on State policies of the administration.

NORMAN DAVIS JOINS ARMS PARLEY GROUP

Former Undersecretary of State to Go to Geneva for World Session.

(Associated Press.)

President Hoover yesterday selected a fifth member for the American delegation to the Geneva arms conference, but he has yet to tell them what their attitude shall be on three important issues.

He named Norman H. Davis, of New York, a former Undersecretary of State, to join Ambassador Charles G Dawes, chairman; Ambassador Hugh S. Gibson, Senator Swanson (Democrat); Virginia, and Miss Mary Emma Woolley, president of Mount Holyoke College, in the disarmament negotiations next year.

So far, however, the President has not decided what the American policy shall be on these questions; How arms should be limited, whether aerial combat forces should be restricted and whether a treaty should contain what is known as an "escape clause."

The United States always has held that armaments should be limited directly. There is indication, though, that a modification of the budgetary method might be acceptable.

Under the latter type proposal, advanced some years ago, armament

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Wheat Is Injured In New York Fall

Arm of Chief Justice Is Broken in Accident on Holiday Trip.

Chief Justice Alfred A. Wheat was reported resting comfortably last night in a New York City hospital, where he was taken after receiving a broken arm in a fall in that city.

The chief justice was on a holiday visit to New York when word of his accidental fall was telephoned here to Justice Jennings Bailey, who will act as chief justice until the return of Mr. Wheat.

The chief justice, 64 years old, was appointed to that position when former Chief Justice McCoy retired, May 14, 1930. Previous to that he had been an associate justice for thirteen months. He is not expected to resume his position on the bench for several weeks, thus creating a vacancy in the Circuit Court ranks, where he was to have taken the place or Justice Peyton Gordon, who went to the motions bench.

MILLS ATTACKS TAX PLAN OF DEMOCRATS

Says Rich Are Too Few to "Soak;" Garner Replies to His Charges.

By J. B. McDONNELL.

Democratic proposals for revision of the tax laws were described as "inadequate" by Acting Secretary of the Treasury Ogden L. Mills yesterday, who said that there will be "little profit in 'soaking the rich.'"

Mr. Mills decried Democratic opposition to the administration program calling for levying increased income taxes on persons of comparatively small incomes and said that unless such persons were brought within the scope of the law, as amended, the fiscal needs of the Government could not be met.

"It may be disappointing to realize," Mr. Mills said, "that there is so little profit in 'soaking the rich,' but the truth of the matter is that the large incomes are no longer there and can not, therefore, be made to produce the needed revenue. The number of incomes of $100,000 and over fell from about 16,000 in 1928 to about 6,200 in 1930. There will unquestionably be a further substantial reduction in the calendar year 1931."

Apprised of Mr. Mills' caustic comment on forecasts of the Democratic tax revision program Speaker John N. Garner declared that Mr. Mills "can set up a straw man and knock him down if he wants to, but it's nothing more than a product of his imagination."

"Nobody," the Speaker said, "has been authorized to speak for the Democratic party on a tax program and nobody has spoken for the Demo-

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TOKYO POLICY SEEN FACING SEVERE TEST

Next Move in Manchuria to Bring Out Japan's Real Aim, Observers Say.

(United Press.)

Japan's Manchurian policy won a triumph and was subjected to a severe test yesterday with the withdrawal of Chinese regular soldiers from the Chinchow area in face of a determined Japanese advance.

The American Minister to China, Nelson T. Johnson, telegraphed the news of the withdrawal to the State Department late yesterday, several hours after press dispatches had carried it.

Two factors impressed those administration officials here who are watching the Manchurian situation with anxiety: (1) That Chinese withdrawal would mean complete control of Southern Manchuria by Japan's army; (2) that it would remove any excuse for an "official" advance against "official" Chinese forces, and would test Japan's claim that she wishes only to suppress banditry in the area.

The problem for the United States Government, which has been trying for three months to prevent an outbreak of war on a big scale, and to effect peaceful negotiations between China and Japan, is one of the most difficult in a long time.

Three times the State Department has made strong representations to Japan against what it felt was a too aggressive attitude. Each time Japan has ignored the representations, has continued whatever new activity she was engaged in at the moment, and has published in substance both the representations, or a portion of them, and the Japanese answer.

All this time the State Department

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Lenz, With New Partner, Cuts Lead of Culbertson

Couple's Margin Trimmed to 16,320 Points as Rivals, Now Including Commander Winfield Liggett, Win Five of Nine Rubbers Played.

New York (Wednesday), Dec. 30 (A.P.).—Sidney S. Lenz clicked with a new partner at the fifteenth session of the big contract bridge match ending early today. He and Commander Winfield Liggett, jr., disabled war veteran, cut 520 points off the lead of Mr. and Mrs. Ely Culbertson.

After 142 rubbers of the series had been played, the Culbertsons were 16,320 points ahead, having won 63 rubbers compared to 49 for Lenz and partner. Lenz and Liggett won five of the session's nine rubbers.

Liggett was doubled twice by the Culbertsons and Lenz once. Each time the contract was successful. Once Liggett took all the tricks when doubled at five clubs. Again he succeeded at five hearts doubled. He was not vulnerable either time. When vulnerable Lenz was doubled at four spades and made five.

Culbertson remarked that his doubling machinery was out of gear. He complained of abnormal distribution in those instances as well as once when Mrs. Culbertson was set. When Liggett took all the club tricks he was void of one suit and Lenz of another.

Commander Liggett appeared at the Waldorf to replace Oswald Jacoby. Jacoby announced that his resignation was final and that he would not return to the match. Liggett is a retired commander of the U. S. Navy and is a member of the advisory council of Bridge Headquarters, Inc., sponsor of the "official" system.

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Borah Favors Pay Cut of 20 Per Cent

Says That $100,000,000 Would Be Pared From Federal Budget.

(Associated Press.)

A willingness to make a cut of 20 per cent in Government salaries was expressed yesterday by Senator Borah (Republican), Idaho. He had previously suggested a reduction of 10 per cent.

The Idahoan estimated that more than $100,000,000 can be pared from the Federal budget next year in this way.

Borah's proposal for a 20 per cent cut fits in with tentative Democratic plans for salary reductions. The Democrats are considering a proposal for a graduated scale of cuts ranging from 5 per cent on salaries of $1,500 or $2,000 and increasing to 20 per cent on salaries above $10,000.

Glassford Spurns Bootlegger's Gift

Gayly Wrapped Package of Yule Drinks Finds Way to U. S. Agency.

A Christmas present—which may have taken the appearance of manna from above to some persons—has been turned over to prohibition authorities by Brig. Gen. Pelham D. Glassford, chief of police.

Brightly wrapped, the package arrived at Gen. Glassford's home. When he got around to opening it among his other gifts, the police chief peeled away a gay paper to find three quarts of champagne, a flask of benedictine and two bottles of rye whisky.

"No, sir, I wasn't even tempted," said Gen. Glassford yesterday, in telling newspapermen of the present. He said that a greeting card in the package bore the name and seasonal wishes of a purveyor of illicit beverages quite well known to police.

Motorist Is Held As Car Kills Man

Victim Is Thrown 20 Feet as He Runs Toward Safety Zone.

An unidentified man, about 55 years old, was almost instantly killed when he was struck by an automobile and thrown 20 feet last night. The accident happened on Pennsylvania avenue, near John Marshall place northwest, as the man was running across the street toward a street car safety zone.

He was struck by an automobile operated by J. D. Nelson, of 316 B street southeast, a salesman for Hill & Tibbitts. Mr. Nelson was driving west on Pennsylvania avenue, and in the car with him were his wife and daughter.

The elderly man was placed in a taxicab to be taken to Emergency Hospital, but he died on the way there. His skull and both arms were fractured and his chest was crushed, police said. Mr. Nelson was ordered by the coroner to be present at the inquest at 10 o'clock this morning. The accident victim was dressed in sheepskin bedroom slippers, a blue overcoat and gray herringbone trousers. He was about 5 feet 11 inches tall and weighed about 185 pounds.

22 Persons Will Face U. S. Inquiry of Maryland Vice

Majority Are Philadelphia Residents; Burkinshaw Files Authority to Conduct Quiz, Also to Cover Pennsylvania; Accused Man Freed on Bond.

The activities of 22 persons, most of them residents of Philadelphia, will be probed in the Federal investigation of the white slave traffic in Maryland and Pennsylvania, it became known yesterday when Neil Burkinshaw filed with the Federal Court in Philadelphia his commission as Special Assistant to the Attorney General.

Mr. Burkinshaw's commission was filed when he went to Philadelphia to present the evidence against Chester Clark, at whose hearing details of the operation of the white slave ring were given by two women. The pair, Mrs. Verne Edwards and Josephine Shubert, were employed at the Bladensburg, Md., roadhouse where a gun battle killed one person and wounded five others last month.

Clark's hearing was to determine whether he would be returned to Baltimore, where prosecution of the alleged white slavers will center. He is charged with conspiracy to violate the Mann act. He agreed to go to the Maryland city, and was released after posting bond of $5,000 for his appearance when called.

The two women are staying voluntarily at the House of Detention here, fearful of reprisals by other members of the gang who are menaced by their testimony. Mrs. Edwards has also identified a man in Philadelphia.

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END OF TARIFF WARFARE, AIM OF DEMOCRATS

New World Agreement Is Sought to Temper Competition.

PROGRAM OF PARTY WILL INCLUDE PLAN

Conference of Powers May Be Asked to Revise Present Laws.

Elimination of tariffs as an offensive weapon in the economic warfare of nations is the purpose of discussions among Democratic leaders of Congress incident to their development of a legislative program for their party in this session of Congress.

Representative Henry T. Rainey (Democrat), of Illinois, Democratic floor leader, has asked the adoption by his party of a scheme of reciprocal tariff arrangements as a substitute for the independent tariff policy which has been pursued heretofore by the United States.

His proposal has been under discussion at the meetings of the Senate-House Democratic party policy committee, but nothing definite has been done atbout it. It is to come up at the next and subsequent meetings of the joint program committee of the party, with indications pointing to a growing adherence to the House leader's proposal.

Details Not Complete.

Details of the scheme have not been worked out. Representative Rainey has been busy for some time gathering facts and figures designed to show that the United States must recognize the tariff activities of other nations, although it has held aloof from regarding its tariff as a matter of international concern.

The tariff, which has been urged as a protecton for this country against other nations, now is being used by other nations through a series of agreements and revisions of schedules to the detriment of American goods in preference to the goods of other reciprocating nations.

It is proposed that there might be called an international conference to consider the tariff at which some sort of an agreement on principles might be worked out.

Want Powers Amended.

It also has been proposed that the powers of the Tariff Commission be amended so that there shall be greater fluency in the carrying out of the decisions of the commission incident to the facts developed in the course of its investigations.

Democrats are dissatisfied with the way the flexible provisions of the Tariff Commission authority has worked, inasmuch as the law has left the commission impotent to change tariff rates and has reposed authority in the President.

Speaker John N. Garner said yesterday that the Democrats would have a definite tariff policy to lay before the Nation as soon as the problem of tax revision was out of the way. Until that has been done, Mr. Garner said, there would be no party effort to deal with the tariff.

Week's Grain Exports Are 660,000 Bushels

(Associated Press.)

Grain exports last week from the United States amounted to 660,000 bushels against 1,719,000 bushels the previous week and 670,000 bushels during the corresponding week of last year. Commerce Department figures yesterday gave the following comparisons between last week's exports and those of the week before:

Wheat, 641,000 bushels against 1,631,000; barley, 9,000 against 46,000; corn, 4,000 against 15,000; oats, 6,000 against 27,000; no exports of rye were reported for either week. Canadian grains exported last week from United States ports amounted to 341,000 bushels, against 368,000 while exports of North American wheat flour were 201,000 barrels against 175,000 barrels.

Suspected Lunatic Ends Stand Against Police

Gallipolis, Ohio, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Chauncey Phillips, 35, who barricaded himself and family in their farm home three days ago, surrendered today without a struggle. He was sought by county officers on a lunacy warrant.

The man had threatened to fire his shotgun at any one who tried to enter.

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would be limited by restricting the amount of money that could be spent. Americans held that would be unfair because of the greater cost in this country. The suggested compromise would not compare the military budget of one country with that of another, but balance that of each nation against its own outlay in previous years.

The problem of armaments so far as the conference is concerned is an indefinite one. The difficulty of agreeing on the simple question of what constitutes a fighting airplane is only one of the many involved problems on this point which will confront the conference.

The extent of an "escape clause," which it is considered likely would be demanded by some nations before they signed a disarmament treaty, is another troublesome problem. The London Naval Treaty, to which the United States is a party, contains such a clause. Under it a nation limited by the treaty is able to increase its navy if threatened by heavy building by a neighboring country not a party to the treaty. So far the escape or escalator clause, as it is known, has not been invoked.

The President's Callers

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29.

The Cabinet.

Mr. Kiffell.

GLASSFORD IS HOST TO FRIEND

Associated Press Photo.

Brig. Gen. Pelham D. Glassford, superintendent of police, explains the workings of the finger-printing system used by Washington police to an old friend. Left to right are Gen. Glassford, Inspector Frank S. W. Burke, chief of detectives, and Col. Francisco Aguilar, former military attache of the Mexican Embassy, who is expected soon to be called to a new post in Mexico. Gen. Glassford and Col. Aguilar are old friends of revolutionary days along the Mexican border.

Drys Afraid to Get Wet, Finn Rum Law May Fall

By JOHN J. DALY

WHILE the world watches, the Finns, just a little bit finnicky over the prohibition question, are on their way to the polls.

As these members of the old Ugrian-Scythian family start out over the rocky roads of the former grand duchy, to cast their votes in the first referendum ever held in the republic, a blizzard blows in all its fury through the bleak and barren land, and the fate of a thirteen-year-old dry regime hangs in the balance.

In the raging storm, the drys are afraid of becoming wet. So they remain at home. Country roads impassable, the farmers are staying down on the farms.

Thus the wets, revelling in the rain, the sleet and the snow, have hopes of winning a victory hands down. Their faith is in the elements. Not scared of the results, they have no fear.

It has been said by students of psychology, that no one yet has ever found out what a Finlander thinks about; whether it be the weather, or the economic state of the country, or winter sports; but a Finlander who espouses the dry cause, who hopes to remain a dry in good standing, never goes out in the wet.

This, then, is enlightening.

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IF it be so, wet Finlanders will, in all probability, win a victory because of a frozen vote.

With the ancient Greeks there was a household joke about such a situation. Indeed, Athenian teachers often applied it to the discourses of Plato:

"As the cold of certain cities is so intense that it freezes the very words we utter, which remain congealed till the heat of summer thaws them, so the mind of youth is so thoughtless that the wisdom of Plato lies there frozen, as it were, till it is thawed by the ripened judgment of mature age."

The same sort of referendum, held in Finland next summer, with the drys thoroughly thawed out, would undoubtedly turn in an overwhelming dry victory at the polls.

There is that famous story of the "Frozen Horn," either a slide trombone or a cornet, whose dulcet notes, imprisoned by the cold, were released the following spring, when the instrument, without benefit of player, rendered a solo in the park.

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WHAT about Pantagruel and his companions? Marooned in the confines of the Frozen Sea, they heard the uproar of a battle which had been frozen the preceding winter and was just being released by a thaw.

It may be that way in Finland. The Gargantuan wet vote now being polled during a blizzard may turn out to be a Rabelaisian victory only, to be overthrown in the summer when the drys, in all good propriety, and without fear of getting wet, come out to vote.

In Finland it is not a question of "getting out the vote" so much as it is of thawing out the vote.

This must be, naturally, a fight to the Finnish.

Finland Casts Large Vote On Rum, Despite Blizzards

Inclement Weather Fails to Keep Citizens From Polls on First Day; Counting of Ballots Begins at Midnight Tonight.

Helsingfors, Finland, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Everybody was surprised by the voting today in the consultative referendum on prohibition, for, despite a blizzard and a snow beginning in the morning, the turnout was better than the most sanguine had expected.

Complete figures from the entire city of Helsingfors indicated that about 36.4 per cent of the voters trudged through the snow to the polls, as compared with 33.7 per cent on the first day of the last presidential election.

Finland takes two days to do its voting, and in parliamentary contests a 35 per cent turnout is never exceeded on the first day of balloting.

In some Helsingfors precincts where the wealthier classes live the percentage was as high as 48.9. In working class districts it was much lower, in some cases being only 18.

More men have voted than women. This was especially marked in working class districts, where the women apparently were apathetic.

Figures from other cities were slow in arriving, but shortly before midnight it was learned that 32 per cent of the voters went to the polls in Viborg, 40 per cent in Sortavala, 38 per cent in Savonlinna, 25 per cent in Kakisalmi, 28 per cent in Oubou, 25 per cent in Torneo, and 43 per cent in Hanko.

This was regarded by political observers as surprisingly high throughout in comparison with first day voting in other elections.

Beyond the mere number of those casting ballots nothing was available tonight as the count will not begin before tomorrow midnight.

No ballots are tabulated in their precincts, but all are sent sealed to the central office in Helsingfors where a staff will work in three shifts day and night, without any letup for New Year's Day.

No trouble was reported anywhere in Finland. However agitated inwardly the Finns may have been, they didn't demonstrate it. All electioneering before the polls is forbidden here, and not even placards of the pros and antis attempted to give last-minute advice.

The newspapers, however, were filled with the arguments of both sides. Both the friends of prohibition and its enemies made an argument out of the fact that several American newspaper correspondents have come to Helsingfors. The drys said an adverse vote might affect American prohibition and that, therefore, the election might keep alcohol away from the United States, as well as away from Finland.

The wets deduced from the presence of the Americans that the United States has found corruption resulting from prohibition and hopes Finland may point the way out.

The voters have the choice of three means of dealing with prohibition—maintain it, repeal it or modify it. The issue has cut across party lines so that, with the exception of the Socialists, no party has issued mandatory instructions.

But polftical observers declared that in the main prohibition will be supported by Agrarians and Socialists and opposed by members of the Conservative, Progressive and Swede parties.

The parliamentary strength at present is, Socialists, 66; Agrarians, 59; Conservatives, 42; Progressives, 11, and Swedes, 21.

KingDeclines to Sponsor Restriction of Filipinos

(Associated Press.)

A request that he sponsor legislation restricting Filipino immigration has been answered by Senator King (Democrat), Utah, with the assertion that so long as the Philippines are held by the United States the Filipinos should be admitted freely to this country.

Senator King made the statement in answer to a letter from the California joint immigration committee, San Francisco, in which he was urged to embody in a Philippine independence bill he has introduced a provision excluding Filipinos.

Olympic 2-Cent Stamp To Be Issued Jan. 25

(Associated Press.)

The Postoffice Department will issue a special stamp commemorating the inauguration of the international Olympic winter games which begin at Lake Placid, N. Y., February 4. It will go on sale January 25 at Lake Placid and at other postoffices in January 26.

The stamp will be for 2 cents and will picture a ski jumper descending from a jump with a background of snow and overcast sky. The main colors are red and white.

DIRECT FEDERAL AID URGED FOR JOBLESS

Welfare Leaders Tell Senate Committee Chest Funds Will Be Inadequate.

(Associated Press.)

Direct Federal aid to the unemployed was approved in varying degrees before a Senate committee yesterday by three welfare leaders, who have cooperated with President Hoover to handle the situation through local charity.

All three agreed there is a desperate shortage of funds to meet the unprecedented relief demands of the jobless. Their views were given in testimony before the Senate manufacturers subcommittee, considering appropriation of Federal funds.

An outright recommendation for Federal appropriations came from Linton B. Swift, executive secretary of the Family Welfare Association of America, who said some States could not meet their relief burdens.

Federal Relief Urged.

Allen T. Burns, executive director of the Association of Community Chests and Councils, who has been working in close cooperation with President Hoover and his relief advisers, testified that aid for the unemployed must come from the Federal Government, if it is not available elsewhere. Present funds, he said, "are altogether inadequate."

The third member of the trio, Frank Bane, director of the American Association of Public Welfare Officials, said Federal assistance "of some type" would be beneficial.

Mr. Burns told the committee there "is no prospect of sufficient funds" to meet relief needs, and unless local governments provide twice as much as last year the distress burden cannot be met by local communities.

$100,000,000 Expected.

He estimated Community Chests would raise a total of $100,000,000, but said only 35 per cent of this goes to family relief, and the communities are now averaging expenditures of more than 200 per cent over last year.

Senator Costigan (Democrat), Colorado, asked Mr. Burns if he saw any objection to the use of public funds for relief.

"We would be both helpless and hopeless without them," he replied. Mr. Burns added that public funds should be used more than they are.

"Does that apply to Federal funds as well as State and city?" Senator Costigan asked.

Mr. Burns replied that he preferred to use local funds because of the ease of administration, but said there was no difference in principle.

Source Is Unquestioned.

"It doesn't make any difference to the person who gets the help," he added. "My own personal surmise is that public funds will be needed decidedly," he said, adding that the $375,000,000 proposed in Costigan's bill was "by no means excessive."

Mr. Swift said that "adequate provision for relief exists in comparatively few communities" at the present time and he warned that provision must not only be made for this winter but next, when he predicted the burden will be as bad or worse, even if conditions generally improve.

A survey of agencies in 41 selected cities, Swift said, showed a shortage of $9,800,000 to meet relief demands and only one of them reported enough funds to handle the problem.

"Not all of these agencies will need help from outside," he added, "but there is no doubt that some of them will have to have it."

Relief Called "Dole."

Mr. Swift testified that the relief being given in many communities today constituted a "dole," and said the "dole" problem has no relation to the question of Federal appropriations.

While relief is primarily the responsibility of local communities, it is also a Federal responsibility, he said.

Mr. Bane filed a survey of conditions in every State, showing many of them facing acute distress problems and several in need of outside help. He said the relief problem is "primarily a public responsibility," and that there were numerous communities scattered throughout the country that would need outside assistance.

Federal appropriations also were recommended by Jacob Billikopf, executive director of the Federation of Jewish Charities, Philadelphia; and Paul U. Kellogg, editor of the Welfare Magazine Survey.

Meanwhile, the Children's Bureau of the Labor Department announced reports from 252 private agencies and public departments on relief expenditures by 56 large cities showed 127 per cent more money given in direct family relief during the first nine months of 1931 than for the same period last year.

Expenditures for nine months were listed as $6,705,576 in 1929, $13,226,784 in 1930 and $30,066,641 in 1931. The bureau said the funds went for direct aid to needy families in their homes and did not include administrative costs of relief agencies "or large expenditures made in some cities during 1930-31 for relief by employment under 'made-work' programs."

Bernet Is Hopeful Over Pay Situation

Railway Labor Can Greatly Assist in Recovery, C. & O. Head Says.

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Railway labor, by realizing that it must face a period of sacrifice, may make a most important contribution to recovery, said J. J. Bernet in an annual survey today.

Mr. Bernet, who is president of the Chesapeake & Ohio, regarded certain restorations in freight revenues recently allowed by the Interstate Commerce Commission as contributing something toward relief.

But he was more hopeful over the wage situation. "The apparent realization by railroad employes that they, too, as well as the stockholders and bondholders, and everybody else, for that matter, must face a period of sacrifice, which we hope will only be temporary will be a most important contribution to the recovery." Mr. Bernet declined to offer any forecast for 1932.

Renaldo Divorce Appeal Dropped.

San Francisco, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The supreme court today dismissed the appeal of Mrs. Suzette Renaldo from the divorce decree granted her husband, Duncan Renaldo, motion picture actor, more than a year ago. The action was requested by attorneys for both parties, who gave no reasons.

New Music Honors Son At Hoover Ball Tonight

"Moonlight on the Santa Clara," a fox trot, will be dedicated to Allan Hoover tonight at the White House Ball, which the President and Mrs. Hoover are giving in his honor.

The number, which has been written especially for the occasion by Meyer Davis, whose orchestra will perform at the function, will be played for the first time tonight.

HUNDREDS IN FLOOD AREA READY TO FLEE

11-Mile Levee Front at Glendora, Miss., Is Menaced by High Waters.

Glendora, Miss., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Glendora's 11-mile protection levee groaned today against the Tallahatchie River flood, and at nightfall hundreds of residents and refugees prepared for any eventuality.

Yesterday the weight of the flood of Panola, Quitman and Tallahatchie Counties crashed 20 feet of the levee here, sending a sheet of water 6 feet deep through the business district and the lower residential part of the town.

Hundreds of convicts looped a dike around the break, stopping the flow, and today the water had drained off and merchants reopened their stores.

Flood Stage Near Crest.

There still was a slight rise in the river at Glendora with the flood stage nearing the crest. Workers patrolled every foot of the levee. Convicts from Parchman Prison Farm and Negro farm hands put in a day strengthening the dykes and plugging almost continuous "sand boils."

All except the levee workers took refuge for the night in the higher residential area, sleeplessly waiting any emergency.

Soggy sandbags topping the levee 2 to 3 feet above the normal height were weakening with 11 feet of the Tallahatchie River backwaters pushing against the sides and lapping at the top.

Sumner, Webb, Asa, Crowder and other towns up the river in the Tallahatchie, Quitman and Panola counties felt slightly easier tonight with the peak of the flood past them.

The overflow was more than 50 miles wide through the three counties with the brunt of the battle going on about Glendorn.

Work on Levee All Night.

All night and all day a group of laborers rebuilt the soggy levee at Matthew Bayou, about a mile north of Glendora, where an alarm was sounded last night.

Famine is stalking through the rural lowlands, but Glendora citizens said no outside aid would be needed in the town. Floating carcasses bore evidence that live stock has perished in great numbers throughout the area.

The Ouachita River at Monroe, La., west of here, has made ten or more families homeless. They have called on the Monroe Chapter of the Red Cross for tents.

The Ouachita stood at 40.8 feet at Monroe today, nearly a foot above flood stage. Monroe proper can stand several more feet of water without damage, as it is on an elevation.

Akron Will Maneuver With Tanker Patoka

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The naval tanker Patoka, equipped with a mooring mast to which the Navy dirigible Los Angeles has been made fast on many occasions, is to make maneuvers with the Akron, newest and largest lighter-than-air craft in the world, it was learned here today.

The Akron has not yet been made fast to the mooring mast on the Patoka. The maneuvers will include efforts to moor the giant aircraft to the Patoka's mast. The maneuvers are to be conducted off Plantation Flats the latter part of January, according to advices received at the naval base here.

I.O.O.F Dance Set Tomorrow Night

6,000 Members Expected to Attend Benefit for Home of Aged.

Six thousand members of the Odd Fellows and Sisters of Rebekah, with their friends are expected to fill Washington Auditorium New Year's Eve, on the occasion of the dance and entertainment to be staged for the benefit of the Home for the Aged, at 3233 N street northwest, supported by the organizations jointly.

Food and fuel with which to operate this haven for its occupants during the entire calendar year of 1932 are expected to be derived as a result of the dance tomorrow night, which will commence at 9 o'clock and continue well into the wee hours of New Year's morning.

Grand Master W. H. McConnell and J. I. LaSalle are in general charge of the arrangements. The famous Jan Garber Radio Band of New York is coming here to provide music for both the ball and the floor show, which will start at midnight, the Edith Reed entertainers being engaged to stage an hour's program.

Taxes in Philadelphia Unaffected by Budget

Philadelphia, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—One phase of prolonged struggle with municipal financial affairs was ended today when the 1932 budget was reported to city council by its finance committee, pared down to a point which permits the city to keep the present tax rate unchanged.

The budget total of $88,655,827 represents a cut of almost $13,000,000 from the original estimates and is approximately $878,000 below that submitted for 1931. It is expected to be adopted by council tomorrow.

U. S. Tea Experts' Board Named.

Secretary of Agriculture Hyde yesterday appointed as constituting the U. S. Board of Tea Experts for 1932: Edward Bransten, San Francisco; Charles F. Hutchinson, chief tea examiner, New York; A. P. Irwin, Philadelphia; Robert A. Lewis, Boston; F. D. Stillman, St. Louis; J. Harvey Swenarton, New York, and John W. Vaux, Seattle.

$225,000 MINE AID HELD PRIVATE GIFT

White House Circles State That Hoover's Group Did Not Use U. S. Funds.

(Associated Press.

A contribution of $225,000 by the American Relief Administration, of which President Hoover is chairman, for direct relief in the bituminous coal fields was explained in administration circles yesterday as having come from private rather than Government funds.

The American Relief Administration formerly possessed $100,000,000 of federally appropriated money, all of which was spent in post-war relief in Europe or turned back to the Treasury.

The President repeatedly has opposed direct Federal relief of suffering caused by unemployment, contending such relief should come from private sources.

However, when testimony was given before a Senate committee Monday of the relief administration's contribution to feed and clothe children of unemployed miners in parts of West Virginia, Kentucky and Illinois, the question was raised, but unanswered as to whether Government funds were involved.

It was asserted in authoritative quarters yesterday, however, that the relief administration was operating on private contributions remaining from donations of between $100,000,000 and $150,000,000 for relief work in Europe.

About two months ago, it was said, President Hoover arranged for the $225,000 to be made available to the American Friends' Service committee of Philadelphia, a Quaker organization. The contribution was said practically to exhaust the last of the privately donated administration funds.

It was said about 16,000 children were aided and that with the additional Red Cross aid requested, the situation would be met.

Two Debutantes' Lives Threatened

Home Near Philadelphia Is Guarded After Notes From Extortionists.

Philadelphia, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Receipt of letters threatening death or permanent injury to their two debutante daughters, was reported to police today by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vaux, of Ambler. The Vaux home has been guarded by detectives since the girls were involved in an attempted holdup several weeks ago.

The letters, Mrs. Vaux said, demanded several thousand dollars be left in a specified office in Philadelphia. The money was left at the office three weeks ago, Mrs. Vaux said, but nobody came for it

Three holdup men sought to rob Mary Gwynn Vaux, her sister, Ruth, and cousin, Emily N. Ingersoll as they returned from a dance late in September. The attempt failed when Stanley Monash, 30, chauffeur of the Vaux automobile, refused to halt and Miss Ingersoll kicked one of the gunmen in the face as he leaped on the car.

Hoover Aid Summoned For Shoals Hearing

(Associated Press.)

S. F. Hobbs, chairman of President Hoover's Muscle Shoals commission, yesterday was asked to appear before the House military committee, January 5.

The special subcommittee on Muscle Shoals legislation in deciding to call him also agreed Muscle Shoals should be kept constantly before the committee from Tuesday until legislation is presented to the House.

Representative Rainey, the Democratic leader, said Muscle Shoals was one of the major items in House legislative plans for the session.

Parrott Fever Is Fatal To Four on West Coast

San Francisco, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—With five cases of psittacosis or parrot fever, four fatal, reported to authorities in the last week, the State department of health and police of several cities united today to check a suspected cause of the malady—the purchase of parrots or parrakeets from irresponsible parties.

A request was made to city officials to watch for an itinerant seller of birds thought to be in or near Bakersfield. Authorities desire to inspect his birds to determine whether they are disease carriers.

Kissell Pledges Help To Create Home Loans

(Associated Press.)

H. S. Kissell, president of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, yesterday pledged to President Hoover the cooperation of his organization in helping create a system of home loan discount banks.

Kissell said he would confer with congressional leaders to urge speedy enactment of the home loan bill.

Austrian Town Starts Its Own Moratorium

Vienna, Austria, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The industrial town of Steyr, in upper Austria, has declared a little moratorium all its own, announcing that it is unable to meet any portion of its liabilities amounting to $150,000.

Schools have been ordered closed and communal activities have been suspended. Lighting of the streets has ceased and members of the city council have surrendered their positions. Before the declaration of insolvency, 53 per cent of the people of Steyr were being fed by the municipality.

Vatican Library Ruin Laid to Dynamo Throbs

Vatican City, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Vibration of Vatican City's new electrical power station was advanced today, at a session of the Pope's investigating commission, as the probable cause of the collapse of part of the Vatican Library last week.

Lieut. Francesco Saverio Adami, an engineer in the Italian Air Force and an expert on earthquakes, submitted a report that vibrations from that source quite likely shook down the ancient building, already weakened by the vibration of passing trucks.

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Ocean Mail Quiz Planned in House

Action Follows Decision to Keep Leviathan Idle Indefinitely.

(Associated Press.)

Decision by the United States lines to tie up the Leviathan indefinitely yesterday, drew from Chariman Davis, of the House merchant marine committee a promise of an investigation of ocean mail contracts and construction loans.

While the Leviathan is out of service, Davis said, the Majestic, owned by the International Merchant Marine, but flying the British flag as a White Star liner, will continue to operate. The Leviathan on Christmas day completed her first round trip under ownership of the Chapman-Dollar-Dawson-I. M. M.-Roosevelt interests and a date for her next sailing has not been set.

The Tennessee Democrat said he would ask the committee to study all mail contracts, adding that the Majestic now has such a "subsidy" and can compete more easily with the Leviathan. Mail contracts, he asserted, should not be granted to lines operating vessels under foreign flags. Davis also said he would ask the committee to investigate Shipping Board construction loans, some of which he contends were not justified.

MARYLAND VICE QUIZ BY U. S. AIMED AT 22

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as being the leader of the group which fired on the roadhouse occupants during a holdup.

Miss Shubert said that Clark approached her last November in Philadelphia and offered her a job paying $75 to $100 a week. He then introduced her to a man named Wallace, who drove her and Mamie Dix to Bladensburg. Half her earnings she had to give to the manager, Charles (Doggie) Leavitt, who has also been arrested on white slave charges. Clark visited the roadhouse two nights before the shooting, she said, and she gave him $10. This 18-year-old girl said that in the last eighteen months she had been taken to similar establishments in Hamilton, N. J.; four places in Philadelphia; one in Easton, Pa.; one in Chester, Pa.; one in Delaware; four in Baltimore, and one on the Annapolis road. Mrs. Edwards testified that "Man o' War," whose real name is Felix Bocchicchio, took her to the place.

The law requires that a special assistant, when he goes into a Federal district to prosecute a case, shall file with the court his commission, stating what persons and crimes he will investigate. While Mr. Burkinshaw's commission names 22 persons, it is not certain that all of these will be indicted, or that all of those named are guilty.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Industrial Savings Bank will be held on TUESDAY, January 12, 1932, at 4 o'clock p. m., at the banking house, 2000 Eleventh street northwest, Washington, D. C., for the purpose of election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. WM. A. BOWIE, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE FIREMEN'S INSURANCE Company of Washington and Georgetown, Seventh street and Indiana avenue northwest. The stockholders of the Firemen's Insurance Company of Washington and Georgetown will meet at the office on MONDAY, January 4, 1932, for the purpose of electing thirteen directors for the ensuing year. Polls open from 11 a. m. to 12 m.

ALBERT W. HOWARD, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the District National Bank of Washington, in Washington, D. C., will be held TUESDAY, January 12, 1932, at 12 noon, at the main office, 1406 G street northwest. Polls will be open from 12 noon to 1 p. m. for the election of directors and such other business as may properly be transacted.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Capital Traction Co. for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, Thirty-sixth and M streets northwest, Washington, D. C., on Thursday, January 14, 1932, at 10:45 o'clock a. m. The polls will be open from 11 o'clock a. m. until 12 o'clock noon. H. D. CRAMPTON, Secretary.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS—THE ANnual meeting of the stockholders of the Washington Loan & Trust Company for the election of directors and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may lawfully come before the stockholders in general meeting will be held at the main office of the company, Ninth and F streets northwest, Washington, D. C., at 12 o'clock noon, TUESDAY, January 12, 1932. The polls will remain open to receive votes for such election between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 2 o'clock p. m., on that date.

CHARLES R. GRANT, Treasurer.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Washington Railway & Electric Co. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, 10th and E streets northwest, Washington, D. C., on Saturday, January 16, 1932, at 12 o'clock noon.

In connection therewith, the books for the transfer of the stock of the said Company, pursuant to the By-Laws, will be closed from the close of business on December 31, 1931, to the opening of business on January 4, 1932. H. M. KEYSER, Secretary.

SCORES DIE IN COLD WHICH GRIPS EUROPE

15 Waifs Found Dead When Frigid Wave Hits Lisbon; 15 on Ship Rescued.

London, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Winter's icy blasts swept a large area of Europe today, bringing death to some of the homeless and underfed, lashing seas to fury, and causing discomfort and suffering in many places.

Far in the south, where winter usually is a faint parody of the season in northern climes, the peaks of Madeira were covered with snow. Fifteen waifs were found dead from cold in the Lisbon district.

At the other end of the continent snowplows struggled through drifts that impeded Finns from recording their vote in the prohibition referendum.

15 on Ship Feared Dead.

Between these extreme points, London, Paris and Berlin experienced piercing winds and snow, although London and southeast England thus far have escaped the blizzards that have piled up drifts several feet deep in the Scottish glens and Yorkshire moors.

Cold, rain and snow were general throughout France.

A gale has raged on the Baltic since Christmas, and only tonight fears that it had caused the loss of the lives of fifteen persons in a salvage vessel which went to the rescue of the freighter Orion, aground off Helsingfors, Finland, were allayed when the fifteen were rescued.

As a result of this same gale almost a hundredweight of amber was cast ashore at Cranz, Germany.

Many Perish in Cold.

Intense cold experienced in Rome over Christmas has been followed by two days of heavy rain.

Heavy snow has fallen on the northern ranges of Spain, but the chief cities have escaped the blizzards and the recent extreme cold wave in the southern provinces showed signs of abating.

Winter's clutch stretched over the European frontier into Asia. Reports from Teheran were that Persia was having freezing weather which had caused many deaths. The cold wave, however, has had the effect of checking the cholera epidemic which has caused great havoc.

30,000 Chinese Cotton Workers Strike.

Hankow, China, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Thirty thousand workers in the cotton mills went on strike today after having failed to obtain a satisfactory answer to their demand for a bonus of ten days' pay at the end of the year. Police and soldiers stood guard over the mills.

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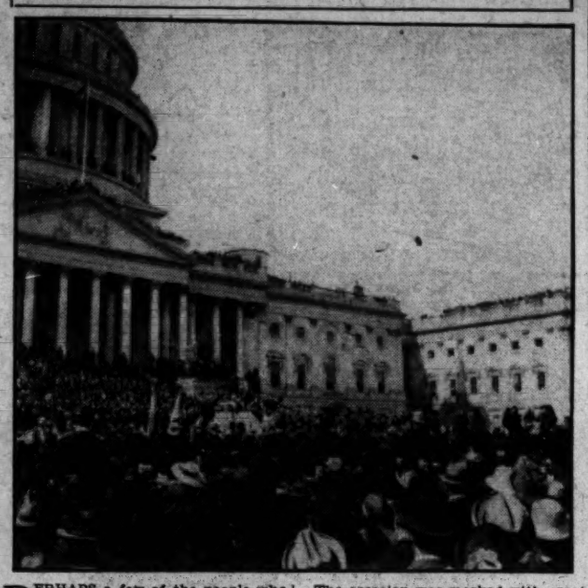

PERHAPS a few of the people who stand reverently beside the grave of Admiral George Dewey in the Washington Cathedral will remember the impressive ceremony which is portrayed by the above photograph.

As a fitting reward for the great and heroic services rendered his country when he vanquished the pride and glory of the Spanish navy at the epic battle of Manila Bay during the Spanish-American War, Congress voted that a sword be presented to him as a mark of appreciation by his fellow countrymen.

The occasion was marked with great pomp and circumstance as detachments of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps participated in the parade which was a prelude to the ceremony. Veterans of the recent conflict assembled to do honor to their former comrade. All of the high officials of the Government and the cream of the Diplomatic Corps of many nations were grouped on the portico of the Capitol while a vast multitude was assembled on the Plaza as the presentation was made.

U. S. TO HAVE OBSERVER ONLY AT WORLD DEBT CONFERENCE

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sations of Prime Minister MacDonald and Premier Laval. Precedents already exist for the presence of a mute observer from the United States at international gatherings where the national interest of this country prevents official representation.

Edward C. Wilson, former American observer at the Reparations Commission, was instructed to go to The Hague when the governments approved the Young plan in 1927 and earlier in 1924 Frank Billings Kellogg, then American Ambassador at London, represented the United States in the conference to approve the Dawes plan in London.

Both Secretary Stimson and Secretary Mellon were present in London last year when the conference of ministers agreed upon the terms of the Hoover moratorium. However, so long as the delegates to any conference intend to review the situation created by the payments of war debts as well as of reparations, the United States will not be present to all official intents and purposes.

Agree on Germany's Need.

The most pressing problem now on the international horizon is the German economic situation. Even her former enemies, France, England and Italy, agree that Germany must be saved to prevent a total breakdown of the modern economic structure.

Such a problem will be the first thought of the delegates to the conference now in the process of preparation between the English prime minister and the French premier.

To all the seductively phrased bids which the United States has received in one form or another to this conference American statesmen have give na polite "No." Undersecretary of the Treasury Ogden L. Mills gave the latest turndown yesterday when he said, positively, leaving the White House:

"There will be no trip to Europe this winter."

American on Committee.

Administration circles had already taken as a foregone conclusion the intention of the former United States allies to resurrect the question of the interdependence of what Germany owes the allies with what the allies owe the United States. The United States permits no such relation.

An American economist was a member of the committee of experts which issued the Basel report. He is Walter W. Stewart. Another American banker, a former chairman of the Chase National Bank, Albert H. Wiggin, is now with the bankers committee which is remodeling the "Stillhalter" agreement of last July in Berlin.

Both of these delegates were selected for their outstanding technical skill and in no sense were official delegates of this country.

If any American official delegate were nominated to attend this conference whose date has yet to be decided, President Hoover and Secretary Stimson feel that such a conference might be used as a pretext to reopen the entire question of war debts and reparations.

May Back Economic Parley.

However, if a general egonomic conference is to be summoned to include free discussion of such problems of modern economic life as the gold standard, tariff problems, as well as the question of debts and reparations, American participation in such a round-table discussion is believed to have the President's approval.

As the President declared in his message to Congress on foreign affairs, the United States is not concerned with the strictly European aspects of a debt settlement as between Germany and her former foes. This is something which must be settled by the countries concerned without any contributions from the American taxpayers.

However, when the purpose is to relieve the psychological effects of a too drastic statement of international bankruptcy or even temporary embarrassment, a discussion as between creditor and debtor to decide upon the conditions of repayment without invalidating the total value of the loan, could be undertaken safely at a general economic conference based upon predetermined understanding on the question of reparations.

BRITISH OPEN DRIVE TO STOP PAYING U. S.

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den) at the first Hague conference which followed the creation of the Young plan. These surprise demands of the British chancellor of the exchequer indicated the need for thorough preparations before the next parley, it was said.

The British and French viewpoints were described as still far apart. In addition to the question of the length of the moratorium to be accorded Germany, the problem of priority for private debts in Germany over reparations remained troublesome.

German Credit Parley Keeps Busy and Silent

Berlin, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Committees of the international banking group considering Germany's short-term credits went on with their work today, but maintained their policy of making no announcements.

They continue to report progress, but German financial circles say there still is a gulf between what the creditors would like to have Germany pay on account and what the debtors feel they can agree to pay.

Counsel to Ask Mercy For Man Doomed to Die

Winston-Salem, N. C., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The case of John Moore, Negro, sentenced to die for first degree burglary because he entered the room of a sleeping girl and stole her shoes, is to be laid before Tyre C. Taylor, executive counsel to Gov. Gardner.

The Negro's attorneys said they confidently expected the governor to grant a commutation of sentence. In North Carolina, burglarous entry into a place where any one is sleeping carries the death penalty, without alternative, upon conviction.

Belgium Names Three for Parley.

Brussels, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The Belgian Government will be represented at the coming international conference on war debts and reparations by tercmfwyp shrdlu cmfwyp shrdlu cm Premier Jules Renkin, Foreign Minister Paul Hymans and Finance Minister Baron Houtard.

NEW CHINA CABINET CHOSEN BY SUN FO

Extraterritorial Rights Will Remain Indefinitely, He Decrees.

Nanking, China, Dec. 29 (U.P.).—Sun Fo today formed a new Nationalist cabinet and postponed indefinitely the abolition of extraterritorial rights of foreigners in China.

The former government of Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek had set January 1 for suspension of these rights, under which foreigners in China are afforded special rights such as trial by consular courts rather than Chinese courts.

Postponement of the date of abolition was due to natural calamities in various provinces which made it impossible for the government to complete preparations, the announcement said. The announcement was embodied in a government mandate declaring the regulations promulgated last May 4, concerning the taking over of jurisdiction of foreigners in China, would not become effective as scheduled.

The extraterritorial problem has been of paramount interest to the Chinese government in the last few years and several attempts have been made to abolish the special rights of foreigners. The world powers, however, opposed the move on the ground that the government was not able to afford protection for the rights of foreigners and on each occasion the Chinese government leaders failed in their efforts.

The most recent negotiations on the subject with Great Britain were broken off last summer when John Thorburn, a British subject at Shanghai allegedly was executed by a Chinese general at Soochow without a trial. The negotiations with Japan were suspended after the execution of Capt. Nakamura in Manchuria, one of the factors leading up to the Manchurian conflict. Negotiations with the United States were halted when Dr. C. C. Wu resigned as minister to Washington and returned to Canton to join the regime set up there as a rival to the former Nanking government.

The new government appointments from the ranks of Nanking and Canton factions of the National Peoples party, were such as had been forecast. They included as foreign minister Eugene Chen, of Canton, a journalist and former minister of foreign affairs, who was educated in England and was a member of the diplomatic mission of the southern military government to the United States in 1917.

CHINESE ORDERED OUT OF CHINCHOW

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bivouacked there for the night. The heaviest fighting took place in the highlands near Changchiatu, 10 miles south of Panshansien. The Chinese had manned a line there with 1,500 regulars and irregulars, who held out as long as they could against the better organized and better equipped attackers.

An hour later another stand was made by the Chinese near Tatienchiawan. About 3,000 men lined up in the path of the Japanese advance there, but after 40 minutes fighting they were routed.

The Japanese also encountered resistance at the village of Palitze, but soon brushed it aside.

Before the army entered Panshanhsien air scouts reported to the air base at Tashihchiao that they had seen a Chinese troop train of 22 cars arrive there. The air scouts also reported that villages about the city were crowded with Chinese troops.

Bombing Planes Dispatched.

Three Japanese planes loaded with bombs were dispatched to Panshanhsien. After they had done their work the advance cavalry moved in, followed by a fleet of armored trucks and the main body of infantry. The army rested there for the night.

One of the Japanese airplanes crashed while attempting to land at Tashihchiao. The ship was burned and the two officers aboard were badly injured.

Airplanes were the main source of news of today's expedition, as other means of communication were slow The Japanese column has been using horseback couriers who take hours to cross the snowclad plains to report to the rear.

Chinchow, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Chinchow residents were frightened today when Japanese planes flew over the city. No bombs were dropped, but the people were nervous because an attack has been expected for some time.

Tear Gas Subdues Armed Insane Man

Chicagoan Routs Family and Fights 100 Policemen Till Overcome.

Chicago, Dec. 29 (U.P.).—Adam Purecki, 38, was routed by tear gas tonight after fighting off nearly 100 police who attempted to capture him in his home. Purecki suddenly became insane late today. He drove his wife and four small children from their home, firing after them as they fled.

Police attempted to coax him from his makeshift stronghold on the second floor, but he fired at them with automatic pistols. They ordered reinforcements, who besieged the building with tear gas and bullets.

When the police finally battered down the door they found Purecki sprawled on the floor, senseless from the tear gas "pineapples" they had thrown into the room. Mrs. Purecki said her husband had been worrying because he was out of work.

Czech Attache Freed Of Plot on Japanese

Prague, Czechoslovakia, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Kar I Vanek, member of the Czechoslovakian Legation at Moscow who was accused of plotting an attack on the Japanese Ambassador to Russia, today was cleared of the charge so far as his government is concerned.

A communique issued at the foreign office described the charge as "trumped up and highly improbable" and added that "for some mysterious reason the Soviets seem to want to compromise Czechoslovakia in the eyes of the Russian people."

Farm Grave Yields Body of Slain Girl

Father Sought on Charge of Murder; Daughter Poisoned, Is Claim.

Wayne, W. Va., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—From a shallow grave at her farm home near Fort Gay, authorities dug the body of a 26-year-old daughter of Smith Webb, 50, and today sought Webb on a warrant charging him with murder.

At the same time, Earl Burgess, assistant prosecutor of Wayne County, said he would direct exhumation of the body of a man named Ferris, who died at the Webb home five years ago.

Mr. Burgess said a postmortem examination revealed Webb's daughter, Maude, died from poisoning December 14. She was buried the following day without a death certificate or burial permit. Burgess ordered the body exhumed after hearing discussion of the death and burial in the Webb neighborhood.

TOKYO POLICY SEEN FACING SEVERE TEST

Next Move in Manchuria to Bring Out Japan's Real Aim, Observers Say.

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has been trying to keep negotiations confidential, believing that the less said publicly about the dangerous situation, the better. An example of the caution of Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson was furnished yesterday, when, after efforts had been made for several hours to get him to hold a press conference, he sent out word that he would be glad to see newspapermen, but would answer no questions on war debts or Manchuria.

But Japan has been publishing much news, and has not even asked, in the old-fashioned diplomatic style, permission of the State Department to publish correspondence.

Japan's determination to carry through her campaign has impressed officials here. They have run against a wall every time they have tried to act. They read of Japan's intentions through newspaper dispatches, and can learn officially only that Japan regards her policy as justified in that she has no intention but to pacify Manchuria, admittedly ridden by banditry.

This situation has caused Stimson many hours of worry, and has brought all sorts of conflicting suggestions for action to him. More and more the worry on the situation has been thrust upon this Government. Just now it is in much stronger position than the League of Nations.

The league council voted to appoint an investigation commission to go to Manchuria. The commission has not been appointed, and now Japan has about taken over the provinces. Authoritative opinion here is that the league council would like to drop the entire business, but does not dare to. Its defeat, after months of effort to solve a dispute of exactly the sort it was formed to prevent, would be so serious in the view taken here that it might never fully recover.

All the United States could do just now regarding Manchuria is, if it believed Japan's campaign aimed at more than suppressing banditry, would be to make even stronger representations than heretofore. It does not want to make them if it can be avoided, because, first, it does not want to aggravate Japanese opinion, or cause unfriendliness; second, it has no assurance that Japanese opinion would not be sufficiently inflamed at strong representations to say, "All right, we will continue to pursue our just campaign of pacification."

The problem then would be a really serious one, and the Government is watching developments closely. With the Chinese withdrawal, the watching policy may have to be continued for the time being. The next Japanese move may reveal the real extent of Japan's aims.

The final thing in the mind of officials here, however, is that this Government's interest is solely one of friendship for both countries. It wants to prevent a real war, and it is eager to be of any assistance possible in effecting real negotiations that will make a start toward settling Chinese-Japanese disagreements, of which some are 20 years or more old.

Vincent Miles Seeking Mrs. Caraway's Post

Port Smith, Ark., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Vincent M. Miles, Democratic national committeeman for Arkansas, today announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for United States senator in the August primary, to succeed Mrs. Hattie W. Caraway, widow of Senator Thaddeus H. Caraway.

Mrs. Caraway has been certified as the regular Democratic nominee for the special election January 12, for the term ending March 3, 1933.

State May Demand Union Head's Life

Kentucky Veniremen Are Questioned on Penalty in Hightower's Trial.

Mount Sterling, Ky., Dec. 29 (A.P.). That the prosecution will seek the death penalty for W. H. Hightower, Harlan County mine union president, was indicted today by questioning of veniremen summoned to try him on a charge of murder, conspiracy and aiding and abetting in connection with the fight in which four men were slain last May 5 near Evarts, Ky.

The veniremen were asked whether they had scruples against the death penalty, whether they were members of labor unions or were prejudiced against the unions, or whether they already had formed opinions in the case. Several were excused after answering the last question in the affirmative.

Counsel for both sides expected to have the jury selected before tomorrow night. J. B. Snyder then will make the State's opening statement. Most of the prosecution's question will be directed by R. L. Pope, of Knoxville, the State indicated through Commonwealth Attorney W. C. Hamilton.

Navy Fliers Bruised in Crash.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Lieut. Durfee and Ensign Ralph Wilson were cut and bruised today when their Navy airplane developed engine trouble and crashed on a farm just outside this city. They were flying from New York to Buffalo.

UNITING OF BUREAUS IS URGED BY HOOVER

Consolidations Would Save Nation Many Millions, Says President.

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bearing upon the emergency problems with which we are confronted."

First, the Shipping Board should be relieved of its operating functions and reorganized as a regulatory and advisory body charged with the stabilization of coastwise and inland waterway service and rates. The actual operating functions of the present board would be transferred to the Department of Commerce, there to be consolidated under an Assistant Secretary for Merchant Marine, with the existing inspection and regulatory bureaus dealing with marine affairs.

Secondly, all building and construction activities, now conducted by 35 different agencies of the Federal Government, should be consolidated under a Public Works Administration, which would function as a service agency to all the departments engaged in building projects. This new agency would handle public buildings, rivers and harbors, hospitals and roads, but would not take over the purely military construction of the Army and the Navy. Actual execution of the rivers and harbors work still would rest with Army engineers, who would be transferred for a time from the military rolls.

Other Proposals.

Later, and always proceeding one step at a time, a similar pooling of related activities should be attempted in the fields of conservation, public health and education.

In 1930 Congress made a beginning on the reorganization program by consolidating under the Veterans Administration all the scattered agencies of the Federal Government handling the former service men's pay roll. The Pension Bureau, the Soldiers' Homes and the old Veterans Bureau were brought under single-headed control.

"As a result," the President said yesterday, "Gen. Hines reports that we are saving somewhere from ten to fifteen millions a year in this service alone."

Special Message Expected.

Studies looking toward specific recommendations for major consolidations in other branches of the Government are now in progress, and it is likely that a special message on the subject will be sent to Congress soon after the emergency economic program is off the ways.

In these studies, two great objectives are sought; first, that all administrative activities of the same major purpose should be grouped for business-like management under single-headed control; and, second, that all quasi-legislative and quasi-judicial functions should be placed under boards or commissions while purely administrative responsibility should rest with individuals.

"These are the fundamental principles upon which our Government was founded," the President said in his message to Congress in December, 1929; "they are the principles which have been adhered to in the whole development of our business structure, and they are the distillation of the common sense of generations."

Text of Statement.

The complete text of the President's statement yesterday follows:

"The most constructive direction for economy in Federal expenditure, beyond a rigid reduction of appropriations and the resolute opposition to new appropriations, lies in the consolidation of Government bureaus and general reorganization of the Federal Government. I have recommended this reorganization in public addresses, reports and messages to Congress throughout the past ten years.

"I particularly emphasized this necessity as the basis of constructive economy in my message to the second session of the Seventy-first Congress. I again referred to it in the message to the third session of that Congress, and in my message to the present Congress I again traversed the subject, some of my recommendations have been carried out, the most notable one being the consolidation of all veterans' activities into the Veterans Administration. As a result, Gen. Hines reports that we are saving somewhere from ten to fifteen millions a year in this service alone.

"Outstanding among these reorganizations would be consolidation of all construction activities of the Government under an Administrator of Public Works, to serve all the departments. Other cases are the consolidation of all Merchant Marine activities into the Department of Commerce; the consolidation of the conservation activities of the Government; of the public health services; of educational activities and numerous other groups on the same major purpose under single headed responsibility. Such action would result in the elimination of many expensive agencies and overlap, resulting in very great economies. These economies would run into many millions.

Further Great Economies.

"In addition to the actual economy by concentrated administration and elimination of overlap, further great economies would be brought about through the curtailment of the self-expanding capacity of scattered bureaus, which could be much better controlled if they were grouped together. It would enable policies in connection with different government activities to be better developed and better directed.

"The subject is an old one and now that economy absolutely must be the first order in government it is an appropriate time for Congress to take up the question and bring it to conclusion. Such action would comprise a major accomplishment of the present session of Congress."

Several hours after the President's press conference Representative John J. Cochran, of Missouri, chairman of the committee on expenditures in the executive departments, recalled that he, too, long had been an advocate of consolidation and economy. He promised that in considering the subject in the present session of Congress "politics will be entirely eliminated."

Cochran's Statement.

The text of Representative Cochran's statement follows:

"The President, in his message to Congress, referred briefly to his plan. I personally talked with Mr. Walter Newton, his secretary, about ten days ago and requested that he furnish me at his earliest convenience a more detailed statement, as well as the draft of any bill that might be prepared.

"Every member of the committee I have discussed the matter with is ready and willing to approve my plan for early hearings. Personally, I will insist that the question of saving jobs for the faithful be eliminated. It is the desire to retain individuals in office that has impeded progress on reorganization in the past. Ever since I have been a member of Congress I have advocated reorganization of Government departments. Useless bureaus and commissions should be abolished.

"As a further indication of my desire to cooperate, ten days ago I requested the War and Navy Departments to send their views to the committee on the proposal to create a Department of National Defense consolidating the Army, Navy and Marine Corps. I hope the reply will be in the committee room when the next meeting is held January 7.

"I asked Mr. Newton for the information concerning the transfer of the Shipping Board to the Department of Commerce by that date, advising him hearings would be held at once if the data was received.

"So far as I am concerned politics will be entirely eliminated and every one will have an opportunity to be heard. I am as anxious for action as the President."

Two Burglars Flogged in Canada.

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Lashings on the bare back for burglars, a punishment usually reserved here for hold-up men and those who commit personal violence, was ordered today in police court. Alex McPherson and William James, convicted of looting a shoe store, were each sentenced to ten lashes and five years in prison.

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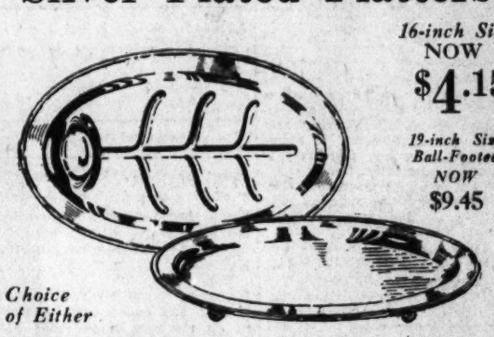

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ALLEY—On Tuesday, December 29, 1931, at 1:50 p. m., at her residence, 1310 Floral street northwest, ESTELLE FLORENCE, beloved daughter of Mamie E. and the late Bruce M. Alley. Services at her late residence on Thursday, December 31, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

ANDERSON—Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 29, 1931, at his residence, 1340 Parkwood place northwest, HERBERT L., beloved husband of Ethel Anderson and father of Marguerite S. Anderson. Funeral from his late residence. Interment Glenwood Cemetery. Notice of time later.

CLARK—On Monday, December 28, 1931, at her residence, 1818 Wyoming avenue northwest, MARY WENDELL CLARK (nee Upham), wife of Austin Hobart Clark. Notice of funeral later.

CLARKE—On Monday, December 28, at 1:30 a. m., FRED NEWTON, beloved husband of May Claflin Clarke, and father of Kenneth T. Clarke. Funeral from the residence, 309 Calvert avenue, College Park, Md., at 3 p. m., December 30. Relatives and friends invited. Interment in Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

DEMING—On Saturday, December 26, 1931, CLARA C., beloved wife of F. Frederick Deming. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest, on Wednesday, December 30, at 8:30 a. m., thence to Shrine of the Sacred Heart Church, where mass will be offered at 9 o'clock for the repose of her soul. Interment in Johnstown, N. Y.

EARMAN—On Monday, December 28, 1931, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Preston Atkins, 2018 Pierce Mill road northwest, ANNIE G. EARMAN. Funeral services at the above desidence, on Thursday, December 31, at 2 p. m.

JEFFRIES—On Tuesday, December 29, 1931, HAYWARD H., beloved husband of the late Constance Jeffries, aged seventy-one years. Funeral from his late residence, 463 M street northwest, on Thursday, December 31, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Glenwood Cemetery.

JOHNSON—On Tuesday, December 29, 1931, JAMES M., beloved husband of Emma Johnson. Funeral from his late residence, 217 Underwood street northwest, on Friday, January 1, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Colesville, Md. Services by Chambers.

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SPIGNUL—On Tuesday, December 29, 1931, MARY B., wife of the late William H. Spignul and mother of Mrs. Ralph M. Smith and William H. Spignul, in her eightieth year. Funeral services at John R. Wright's funeral home on Thursday, December 31, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. (Baltimore, Md., papers please copy.)

TALBERT—Passed away, on Monday, December 28, 1931, at 9:50 p. m., at his residence, 537 Eleventh street southeast, JOHN F., beloved husband of Rose Talbert (nee Lamkin). Funeral services will be held at his late residence, on Thursday, December 31, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Congressional Cemetery.

TISINGER—On Monday, December 28, 1931, SARAH CATHERINE, beloved wife of the late Joseph B. Tisinger, sr. Funeral from her late residence, 817 Taylor street northwest, on Wednesday, December 30, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

TYLER—On Tuesday, December 29, 1931, at Walter Reed General Hospital, VIRGINIA, beloved wife of Lieut. Col. Max Tyler, U. S. A. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest. Notice of funeral later.

DIED

JORDAN—On Monday, December 28, 1931, ESTELLA E. JORDAN, at her residence, 1436 Spring place northwest, Apartment 25. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home 1400 Chapin street northwest, on Wednesday, December 30 at 2 p. m. Interment at Plainfield, N. H.

MANDANYOHI—Suddenly, on Monday, December 28, 1931, at 8 p. m., WESLEY C., beloved husband of Mary J. Mandanyohi (nee Simpson), in his forty-fifth year. Funeral from his late residence, 209 Lansing street, Colmar Manor, Md., on Thursday, December 31, at 8 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Mary's Church, Newport, Md., at 10:30 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Newport, Md.

McCANN—Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 29, 1931, at his residence, 805 E street southwest, MICHAEL F., beloved son of the late Bernard and Jane McCann, and brother of Ann's C. McCann and Miss Katherine McCann, aged sixty-three years. Funeral from above residence on Saturday, January 2, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Dominic's Church, where solemn requiem mass will be sung at 9 o'clock for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Calvary Cemetery, New York City.

MONEYMAKER—On Tuesday, December 29, 1931, at 5 a. m., at Spring Grove Hospital, Catonsville, Md., JAMES HENRY, the beloved husband of Mary E. Moneymaker, in his fifty-ninth year. Remains resting at the colonial funeral home of William Reuben Pumphrey, Rockville, Md. Notice of funeral later.

MORRIS—On Tuesday, December 29, 1931, at her residence, 2715 Fourteenth street northwest, OLIVE E. MORRIS. Notice of funeral later.

PARK—On Monday, December 28, 1931, at her home, Greenwich, Conn., HELEN CURTIS, beloved wife of Halford W. Park and daughter of the late Maj. Edwin S. Curtis and Emma Gardiner French and mother of Helen Beaumont and Halford W. Park, jr. Funeral services at her late home on Tuesday, December 31, at 11:45 a. m. Interment at West Point, N. Y., at 3 p. m.

PRESCOTT—On Monday, December 28, 1931, at her residence, 437 New Jersey avenue southeast, HATTIE RITCHIE, beloved wife of William M. Prescott. Funeral from the parlors of James T. Ryan, 317 Pennsylvania avenue southeast, on Wednesday, December 30, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to St. Peter's Church, where mass will be said at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment (private) Glenwood Cemetery.

SMITH—Suddenly, on Monday, December 28, 1931, at Sibley Hospital, CHARLES C., beloved son of Herbert L. Smith and Lillian B. Smith (nee Gray). Funeral from the residence of his parents, 1026 Quincy street northeast, on Thursday, December 31, at 9 a. m., thence to St. Anthony's Church, Twelfth and Monroe streets northeast, where mass will be said at 9:30 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

HOLLYWOOD IS TOPIC OF CONVENTION TALK

Head of Sociological Group Dissects Social Process on Western Coast.

The moving picture industry, as a phase of social process on the Pacific Coast, was dissected by Dr. Emory S. Bogardus, president of the American Sociological Society, last night at a joint meeting of the society and the American Economic Association and the American Statistical Association in the Hall of Nations of the Washington Hotel.

Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, Secretary of the Interior, and president of Leland Stanford University, was chairman of the meeting. Addresses were also made by Dr. Ernest L. Bogart, of the University of Illinois, president of the American Economic Association, and William F. Ogburn, president of the American Statistical Association.

Dr. Bogardus, who is chairman of the department of sociology at the University of Southern California, summed up social progress on the Pacific Coast as growing out of "a never ending invasion and succession of peoples and cultures from the main civilizations of the world."

Lacks Social Responsibility.

"It manifests itself," he said, "in a paternalistic accommodation that lasts only as long as the paternalistic group is able to maintain itself; in an individualistic accommodation that breaks down through lack of social responsibility; in an aristocratic accommodation that dominates through superior techniques; in an autocratic accommodation that defies all who do not bow before it; in an individual emancipation that bowls over the past, and in an intercultural assimilation that has in its power to lay the foundations of a new social order, building the integrated experiences of the East and West into an organization of social relations, comprehensive and intriguing beyond anticipation."

The phase of social process typified by the moving picture industry was described by Dr. Bogardus as "individual emancipation."

It is Hollywood which sets the pace," he averred. "A breaking up of customs and traditions is emanating from Hollywood, where a person may achieve world status almost overnight; where lesser stars scintillate for one brief hour and then are blotted out; where Einstein seems to have been entranced almost as much as at the Mount Wilson Observatory; where inventive genius is on tiptoe to combine movie and talkie in a new conquest of home and hotel under the aegis of television."

Says Box Office Is Aim.

Dr. Bogardus also viewed Hollywood as a place "where traditional family life is overridden; where morals of Puritan origin are taboo; where the latest behavior patterns of Broadway or Monte Carlo are "gone one better," and from where even more emancipated patterns are sent out to the ends of the earth under the magic spell of dramatic film and fascinating talkie; where a new triune God rules, a trinity of individual emancipation, of personality plus, and of box office receipts, but where the greatest of these is box office receipts."

Classing the moving picture industry population as a group of urbane invaders from the East, New York City and Continental Europe, Dr. Bogardus declared that they are creating "startling culture patterns which in a large measure are showy and ephemeral."

"They occupy dazzling heights of status," he added. "They maintain themselves as objects of envy of a world of youth and half a world of adults. Because of their supreme status the behavior patterns they magnify tend to become behavior patterns not only of the coast but of the United States and other lands as well."

Frontier Moving Upward.

Dr. Bogart declared that the frontier is now moving upward rather than outward, and that the pioneering spirit of today is steadily raising our material and cultural standards to higher levels.

The president of the economic association raised the question as to whether it is true that the frontier had disappeared by 1890, as contended by the superintendent of the census. He pointed out that other frontiers at once appeared, in education, in art, in literature and in material achievement, and that the possessions of these domains were only slowly being consummated.

"Many economic problems remain unsolved," Dr. Bogart observed, "the most important of which is the lack of control over the fluctuations of the business cycle." Although the past generation has made notable progress in science and technological improvements, man, even in these fields, has not penetrated very far into the unplumbed possibilities of the universe, he added.

The part that statistics plays in combating the tendencies of the human mind to distort facts was explained by Mr. Ogburn. The president of the statistical association declared that the average human, as he goes through life, shows an increasing bent to twist and distort reality. "As human beings," he explained, "we all wear colored glasses."

"The results of the work of statisticians is needed," the speaker added, "but in order to get these results we need good scientists, not artists nor crossbreeds."

Admitting that statistics were the loser in the recent rise and fall of the business cycle, Mr. Ogburn predicted that in the next "great depression" statistics will be better entrenched.

Mrs. Virginia Tyler Dies at Hospital

Wife of Col. Max Tyler, Native of Kansas, Ill Only 3 Weeks.

Mrs. Virginia Tyler, wife of Lieut. Col. Max C. Tyler, former chief engineer of the Federal Power Commission, died at Walter Reed Hospital yesterday morning after an illness of three weeks.

Mrs. Tyler was born at Leavenworth, Kans., thirty-seven years ago, and before her marriage in 1911, was Miss Virginia Farr, daughter of a retired wealthy citizen of Leavenworth.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Tyler came to Washington two and a half years ago from the Philippines and in 1930 he was appointed chief engineer of the Federal Power Commission. He was a graduate of the class of 1903 at West Point.

Funeral services will be tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the W. W. Chambers funeral home, followed by burial in Arlington National Cemetery.

Idle Insurance Donations From Workers Attacked

Economic Convention Also Hears Losses in Latin American Investments Blamed on Failure of U. S. Bankers to Get Sufficient Guarantees.

Unemployment and unwise investing were discussed by speakers yesterday at meetings of the American Economic Association and related associations, in convention here.

Prediction that the Senate unemployment insurance committee would make a report at this session of Congress was made by Jacob Billikoff, of Philadelphia, executive director of the Federation of Jewish Charities.

As basis for his argument against contributions by workers to insurance funds, John A. Fitch, professor at the New York school of social work and chairman of the New York conference on unemployment insurance, declared that employes are not responsible for unemployment.

Assertion that there is no alternative to legislation to set up unemployment reserves was made by Prof. Carter Goodrich, of Columbia University. He pointed out that less than 1 per cent of American workers are covered by voluntary plans. "Gallant as individual efforts are," he added, "they are but a little island in the sea of mass unemployed humanity."

Losses by United States investors, in Latin American countries, were attributed to the failure of American investment bankers to insist on sufficient guarantees in lending money to these countries by Dr. Max Winkler, language professor at Ann Arbor, Mich.

Political revolutions in Latin American countries in the last two years came after American capital was withdrawn, Dr. Winkler pointed out. He charged bankers with failure to invest wisely in countries where economic projects did not guarantee the security of capital invested.

W. W. Cumberland, economist and member of a New York banking firm, revealed that American loans and investments in Latin America have shrunk in value to about one-fourth their nominal worth of six billion dollars. He criticized American investment bankers and uneconomic practices on the part of governments which resulted in injustice to investors and citizens, he said.

Establishment of a peace-time army to relieve unemployment, and as a permanent means of taking up slack in times of depression, was recommended by Prof. Richard T. Ely, of Harvard University, in an address before the American Land Economics Association.

Speaking before the American Statistical Association, Dr. P. K. Whelpton, of Miami University, predicted that before the end of the present century, youth will decrease in influence and numbers to be supplanted by older persons. He attributed this to an increasing decline in the birth rate.

LENZ, WITH NEW PARTNER, CUTS LEAD OF CULBERTSON

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lished by Culbertson, announced in a statement posted on the bulletin board that Lenz had refused to play the last session of the match in a theater behind a glass curtain, the proceeds to go to charity.

The statement said that Mrs. Frank A. Vanderlip and Mrs. David Sarnoff had called upon Lenz today in an attempt to persuade him in favor of the performance, but that he had declined the offer as being beneath the dignity of the game and himself.

Culbertson, it said, was willing, with the National Broadcasting Co. offering the facilities of its theater.

Lenz contracted for three no-trump and made five, getting game on the first hand dealt. It was hand 627, the first of rubber 104. The result reduced the plus of Mr. and Mrs. Ely Culbertson to 16,635. At the start of the fifteenth session Culbertson's lead was 16,840. The intermediary two bid of the Lenz system was displayed to advantage in the hand. It follows:

Lenz (North, Dealer)
S.—A 8
H.—K J 7 5
D.—7
C.—A K Q J 8 2

Culbertson (West)	Mrs. Culbertson (East)
S.—Q 7	S.—K J 6 4 3
H.—A Q 9 4 3 2	H.—10 6
D.—10 8 6 3	D.—Q 5 4
C.—4	C.—9 7 5

Liggett (South)
S.—10 9 5 2
H.—8
D.—A K J 9 2
C.—10 6 3

The bidding: North 2 clubs; East pass; South 2 diamonds; West 2 hearts; North 3 no trump; all pass. Mrs. Culbertson led the ten of hearts.

Hand 628—Culbertson made game at four hearts. Net score Culbertson, 16,755.

Hand 629—Mrs. Culbertson bid and made four spades, getting game and rubber. Net score, Culbertson 17,375. Mrs. Culbertson bid first in response to an informatory double by her partner. The hand:

LENZ (North).
S—10 7
H—7 4 2
D—J 8 7 2
C—10 9 5 3

CULBERTSON (West).	MRS CUL'TSON (East).
S—A 8 6 5 3	S—Q J 4 2
H—Q 8	H—J 10
D—A K 9 5 4	D—Q 6 3
C—Q	C—K J 6 4

LIGGETT (South—Dealer).
S—K 9
H—A K 9 8 5 3
D—10
C—A 8 7 2

The bidding: South one heart; west double; north pass; east one spade; south two hearts; west four spades; all pass. Liggett led the king of hearts.

Rubber 105:

Hand 630—Mrs. Culbertson was doubled at two diamonds and made it. Net score, Culbertson, 17,505. Mrs. Culbertson was doubled after an S O S redouble by Culbertson to force his partner to bid. Culbertson commented that the double by Liggett was far too weak. The hand:

Lenz (North).
S—K J 8 4 2
H—K 9 7 3
D—K Q
C—Q 6

Culbertson (West)	Mrs. Culbertson (East-Dealer)
S—A 10 9 3	S—Q 7
H—J 6 4	H—Q 10 8 2
D—A 6	D—J 10 9 8 4
C—K 10 8 2	C—J 4

Liggett (South).
S—6 5
H—A 5
D—7 5 3 2
C—A 9 7 5 3

The bidding—East, pass; South, pass; West, one no-trump; North, double; East, pass; south, pass; West, redouble; North, pass; East, two diamonds; South, double; all pass.

The play:

Card	Liggett	Mr. C.	Lenz	Mrs. C.
1	*AC	2C	6C	4C
2	5C	*KC	QC	JC
3	2D	*AD	QD	4D
4	3C	10C	*KD	7S
5	5S	*AS	KS	QS
6	3D	6D	7H	*9D
7	5D	8C	4S	*JD
8	7D	3S	8S	*10D
9	5H	JH	*KH	2H
10	6S	9S	*JS	8H
11	*AH	6H	3H	10H

The last two tricks were conceded. (* took trick; next lead immediately under.)

Hand 631—The first hand played by Liggett involved a two notrump contract. He made three. Net score, Culbertson, 17,385.

Hand 632—Culbertson bid one spade, enough for game with the previous score, and made three. Net score, Culbertson, 17,515.

Hand 633—Lenz bid three notrump and made four and game. Net score, Culbertson, 17,360.

Hand 634—Lenz bid four hearts and made five, getting game and rubber. Net score, Culbertson, 16,590.

Rubber 106:

Hand 635—Doubled at five clubs, Liggett took all the tricks. Net score, Culbertson, 16,240. Culbertson commented:

"Talk about distribution. Here is a powerful hand wrecked on the invisible rocks of distribution. Why they failed to redouble is a mystery."

Mrs. Culbertson doubled with three and one-half honor tricks in her hand. The opponents were void of two suits. The hand:

Lenz (North)
S—None
H—9 4
D—Q J 8 3 2
C—9 6 5 4 3 2

Culbertson (West-Dealer)	Mrs. Culbertson (East)
S—J 5 4	S—K 10 9 8 2
H—J 8 7 3 2	H—A K 10
D—K 10 7 4	D—A 9 6 5
C—J	C—10

Liggett (South)
S—A Q 7 6 3
H—Q 6 5
D—None
C—A K Q 8 7

The bidding: West, pass; north, pass; east, one spade; south, two clubs; west, pass; north, four clubs; east, pass; south, five clubs; west, pass; north, pass; east, double; all pass.

The play:

Card	Culb.	Lenz	Mrs. C.	Liggett
1	JS	4H	2S	*QS
2	JC	2C	10C	*AC
3	5S	9H	8S	*AS
4	2H	*3C	10H	5H
5	4D	2D	5D	*7C
6	3H	*4C	AH	6H
7	7D	3D	6D	*8C
8	7H	*5C	KH	QH
9	10D	8D	9D	*QC
10	4S	*6C	9S	3S
11	KD	JD	AD	*KC

The remaining two tricks were conceded. (* took trick; next lead directly under.)

Hand 636—Mrs. Culertson bid one spade and made three. Net score, Culbertson, 16,370.

Hand 637—Mrs. Culbertson bid three hearts, enough for game, with the previous score and made five. Net score, Culbertson, 16,560.

Hand 638—Liggett bid and made one spade. He had 100 honors. Net score, Culbertson, 16,430.

Hand 639—Mrs. Culbertson bid two spades and was set one. Net score, Culbertson, 16,330.

Hand 640—Doubled at four spades, Lenz made five, getting game and rubber. Net score, Culbertson, 15,290.

Rubber 107:

Hand 641—Liggett bid and made one no-trump. Net score, Culbertson 15,255.

Hand 642—Lenz bid four spades and was set one. Net score, Culbertson 15,305.

Hand 643—Liggett bid three hearts, enough with a previous score for game, and made four. Net score, Culbertson 15,165.

Hand 644—Mrs. Culbertson bid four spades and made five, getting game. Net score, Culbertson 15,335.

Hand 645—Liggett made game and rubber at four hearts. Net score, Culbertson 14,715.

Rubber 108:

Hand 646—Mrs. Culbertson bid and made three spades. Net score, Culbertson 14,805.

Hand 647—Culbertson bid and made three spades, which was enough for game with the previous score. Net score, Culbertson 14,895.

Hand 648—Mrs. Culbertson was set one at four hearts. Net score, Culbertson 14,795.

Hand 649—Mrs. Culbertson bid and made a little slam in spades, getting game and rubber. Net score, Culbertson 16,425.

Lenz remarked to Liggett that a lead of a singleton spade by Liggett enabled Mrs. Culbertson to make the contract, whereas a heart lead would have set her. The hand:

Lenz (North)
S—J 10 7 2
H—K J 9 8 5
D—J 4
C—Q 10

Culbertson (West)	Mrs. Culbertson (East)
S—K 6 3	S—A Q 9 5 4
H—A	H—Q 10 7
D—Q 10 6 2	D—A 3
C—J 7 6 3 2	C—A K 9

Liggett (South—Dealer)
S—8
H—6 4 3 2
D—K 9 8 7 5
C—8 5 4

The bidding: South, pass; West, pass; North, pass; East, one spade; South, pass; West, three spades; North, pass; East, six spades; all pass.

The play:

Card.	Ligget.	Culbert.	Lenz.	Mrs. C.
1	8S	3S	JS	*AS
2	2H	*KS	2S	4S
3	3H	6S	7S	*9S
4	4H	2D	10S	*QS
5	4C	2C	10C	*AC
6	5C	3C	QC	*KC
7	8C	7C	5H	*9C
8	6H	*AH	8H	7H
9	9D	*JC	9H	10H
10	5D	*6C	4D	QH
11	7D	QD	JD	*AD
12	*KD	6D	JH	3D
13	8D	10D	KH	*5S

*Took trick; next lead immediately under.

Rubber 109:

Hand 650—Culbertson was set one at one no-trump. Net score, Culbertson, 16,375.

Hand 651—Mrs. Culbertson bid and made three no-trump, getting game. Net score, Culbertson, 16,480.

Hand 652—Lenz bid and made two spades. Net score, Culbertson, 16,420.

Hand 653—Culbertson bid two no-trump and made three. Net score, Culbertson, 16,540.

Hand 654—Liggett bid and made three diamonds, giving him game on account of a previous score. He had 100 honors. Net score, Culbertson, 16,380.

Hand 655—Lenz made game and rubber at three no-trump. Net score, Culbertson, 15,775.

Rubber 110:

Hand 656—Mrs. Culbertson was set two at three no-trump. Net score, Culbertson, 15,675.

Hand 657—Mrs. Culbertson tried four spades and was set one. Net score, Culbertson, 15,625.

Hand 658—Liggett was doubled at five hearts and made it, getting game. Net score, Culbertson, 15,275.

Hand 659—Lenz bid two diamonds and made three. Net score, Culbertson, 15,185.

Hand 660—Culbertson tried four diamonds and was set two. Net score, Culbertson, 15,085.

Hand 661—Culbertson bid three no-trump and made five, getting game. Net score, Culbertson, 15,290.

Hand 662—Lenz bid four spades and made five, getting game and rubber. Net score, Culbertson, 14,620.

Rubber 111:

Hand 663—Mrs. Culbertson bid and made three no-trump, getting game. Net score, Culbertson, 14,875.

Hand 664—Lenz tried two hearts and was set two. Net score, Culbertson, 14,975.

Hand 665—Culbertson bid four hearts and made five, getting game and rubber. Net score, Culbertson, 15,845.

Rubber 112:

Hand 666—Lenz bid and made four hearts, getting game. Net score, Culbertson, 15,725.

Hand 667—Culbertson tried three spades and was set two. Net score, Culbertson, 15,625.

Hand 668—Mrs. Culbertson bid five diamonds and made six, getting game. Net score, Culbertson, 15,775.

Hand 669—Mrs. Culbertson was set one at four clubs. Net score, Culbertson, 15,675.

Hand 670—Lenz bid and made two spades. Net score, Culbertson, 15,615.

Hand 671—Liggett was set one at two spades. Net score, Culbertson, 15,715.

Hand 672—Culbertson bid and made three no-trump, getting game and the final rubber of the session. Net score, Culbertson, 16,320.

IDLE RESERVE FUND FOR STATES URGED

Benefits of Step in Work for Recovery Is Told to Labor Session.

Adoption of State unemployment reserve fund legislation as "a realistic and aggressive" instrument with which to attack the unemployment problem was urged last night by Ernest G. Draper, of New York, in his presidential address before the twenty-fifth annual business meeting of the American Association for Labor Legislation, held at Harvey's restaurant.

"It is time to stop the hypocritical, shouting of the word 'dole,'" Mr. Draper declared. "Industry has nothing to fear from a proper unemployment reserve fund law. It is a wise and cost cutting method of production. It will not entirely solve the unemployment problem, but it will attack the problem at its heart. It is time to come to grips with this evil of unemployment in realistic and aggressive fashion rather than with furtiveness of downright deceit."

Dr. John B. Andrews, of New York, secretary of the association, reported that eight commissions have been created in as many States to investigate unemployment reserve funds. Two of these commissions, he said, as a result of public hearings, are urging State legislation similar to an American plan distributed by the Association for Labor Legislation last year.

Morris E. Leeds, of Philadelphia, was elected president of the association. Otto T. Mallory, of Philadelphia, was elected treasurer, and Dr. Andrews was reelected secretary.

The following were among those elected to the executive committee: Mr. Draper, Prof. Carter Goodrich, of Columbia University; Mary Anderson, of the Federal Woman's Bureau of Washington; Stuart Chase, writer; Ida M. Tarbell, writer; Mary Gilson, of Chicago; Mrs. Mary Schneider, of Lakeland, Fla.; Commissioner Edwin S. Smith, of Boston; Paul Scharrenberg, of San Francisco, and Donald Richberg, of Chicago, counsel for the railway brotherhoods.

Christmas Party Given At Hotel by Civitans

The Junior Choir of Calvary Methodist Episcopal Church sang carols at the annual Christmas party of the Civitan Club held yesterday noon at Lafayette Hotel.

The Rev. Alan A. Stockdale, pastor of the First Congregational Church, addressed the members on "The Heart of Christmas."

Bananas and Einstein Arrive Off California

San Pedro, Calif., Dec. 29 (A.P.). The liner Portland, carrying a cargo of bananas and Dr. Albert E. Einstein, a professor of physics of Berlin, and Frau Einstein arrived in the outer harbor tonight.

It was just a year ago today the famous bushy haired, keen-eyed thinker of the Old World came to Pasadena to compare his theories of the universe with the discoveries of New World scientists. He was received with a fanfare of publicity which continued for most of his stay.

This time he came unhurried, and hoping to have more time for his work when he arrived. The Portland, which came through the Panama Canal, picking up bananas at Central American ports, reached here too late to pass quarantine tonight but will dock early tomorrow.

H. L. ANDERSON DIES; FEDERAL TRADE AID

Commission's Chief Examiner Will Be Buried Tomorrow in Glenwood.

Herbert Lyman Anderson, chief examiner of the Federal Trade Commission, died yesterday morning at his residence, 1340 Parkwood place northwest, following a brief illness that developed peritonitis.

Mr. Anderson joined the former Bureau of Corporations in 1907 and since then had been active and prominent in the Federal service. Many important investigations by the Federal Trade Commission were directed by him, including that of the radio industry which resulted in creation by Congress of the Federal Radio Commission. He was the liason officer between the trade commission and the Department of Justice for many years.

He was born in Xenia, Ill., April 20, 1887, and came to Washington in 1907. He entered the Federal service as a clerk in the Department of Commerce and became an accountant in the former Bureau of Corporations, which was transferred in 1915, with its personnel, to the Federal Trade Commission. He studied law at Georgetown University, and was a member of the local bar.

Mr. Anderson was special agent of the Federal Trade Commission for five years, and was promoted to assistant chief examiner in 1920. He became chief examiner in 1928, succeeding M. F. Hudson.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ethel Vernon Sheppard Anderson, whom he married in Wilmington, Del., September 15, 1909, and a daughter, Miss Marguerite Anderson; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fernandes W. Anderson, of Kansas City, Mo.; a brother, Maxwell Anderson, and a sister, Mrs. Harry Borgmier, also of Kansas City.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence tomorrow at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Glenwood Cemetery.

RITES FOR CHARLES SMITH.

Funeral Tomorrow for Boy Who Accidentally Shot Self.

Funeral services for Charles Smith, 13, 1026 Quincy street northeast, accidentally shot and killed while playing with a rifle Monday, will be held tomorrow morning at St. Anthony's Catholic Church, Twelfth and Monroe streets northeast. Burial will be in Mount Olivet Cemetery.

Among the pallbearers will be the boy's companions who were with him at the time the .22-caliber rifle, alleged to have been "broken" but loaded and cocked, slipped from his hands as he was encasing it, discharging a bullet into young Smith's forehead. Death occurred shortly afterward at Sibley Hospital.

STUDY OF TRIANGLE PARKING NEEDS NEAR

Treasury Officials to Seek Solution for 5,000 Commerce Workers.

A practical study of parking needs in the Federal Triangle Building area will be undertaken by Treasury Department officials shortly after the opening of the Department of Commerce Building. The Commerce Building will be used as a laboratory experiment in the survey which will seek to find some solution as to disposition of the many thousands of automobiles belonging to Government workers who will move into the triangle within the near future.

The National Capital Park and Planning Commission has called attention of the Treasury Department to the parking situation on several occasions, saying that public buildings in the area should be provided in some way with space for housing cars belonging to the employes.

The Treasury Department has on hand the report of a garage company concerning the situation, but Government curtailment of expenses, and the belief that space in this area is too valuable for garages, has prevented the arrangement of any mass parking facilities to date.

With approximately 5,000 employes of the Department of Commerce soon to move into their new building, the Treasury Department will be able to study the actual needs in hopes of working out a suitable plan.

Half of these employes, as moving time draws near, will be granted a full holiday Saturday. Notice to this effect was posted yesterday in the main Department of Commerce Building, Nineteenth and Pennsylvania avenue. Officials decided that inasmuch as all elevators would be used for hauling furniture, those who work in the building would find it difficult to reach their respective offices.

Mrs. Austin Clark Dies Unexpectedly

Wife of National Museum Curator Had Been Ill Several Months.

Mrs. Mary Wendell Clark, wife of Austin Hobart Clark, curator of crinoids at the National Museum, died Monday after a long illness at her home, 1818 Wyoming avenue northwest.

Mr. Clark, in New Orleans, was notified of his wife's death where he was attending a meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. Funeral arrangements are awaiting his arrival home.

Mrs. Clark was born in Massachusetts 50 years ago and came to this city when she was married 25 years ago. She had been ill for several months, but death came unexpectedly.

She was a member of the board of governors of the Washington Club, treasurer of the Woman's Alliance of All Souls' Church, and a member of the Twentieth Century Club, the English Speaking Union and the Elstophos Club, a scientific organization.

Mr. Clark, two sons, Austin B. J. and Hugh Clark, three daughters, Sarah, Ann and Mary Clark, and a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth U. Stevens, of Santa Barbara, Calif., survive.

LIEUT. C. E. MOORE BURIED

Funeral for Hotel Fall Victim Held at Arlington Cemetery.

Funeral services with full military honors were held yesterday at Arlington National Cemetery for Lieut. Claude E. Moore, 1741 Church street northwest, who fell to his death in an accident at the Roosevelt Hotel Christmas morning.

Lieut. Moore was graduated from the United States Military Academy in 1924, where he was an honor student. He was in the service for two years, leaving it in 1926. He is survived by his mother in Seattle and a wife and 3-year-old daughter in Nice, France.

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DR. WALSH ASSAILS RED CHURCH WRONGS

G. U. Vice President Tells Catholic Meeting at Minneapolis Russia Defies Law.

Minneapolis, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The Rev. Dr. Edmund A. Walsh, vice president of Georgetown University, Washington, D. C., today attacked the government of Soviet Russia for its treatment of the Roman Catholic Church, before the American Catholic Historical Association.

He asserted that since the revolution of 1917 it has confiscated church property and imprisoned bishops, priests and other church workers "in defiance of every law except its own, which is based on the theory that religion is opium to the people."

Within the area now under Soviet power the Roman Catholic Church in 1917 had 614 churches in operation, 581 chapels, 810 priests, 7 seminaries and 8 bishops, Dr. Walsh said. Now, he asserted, there are 182 churches, no chapels, no seminaries, 110 priests at liberty and 200 in prison, with 2 bishops at liberty and 3 in prison.

Priests in Prison.

"Two hundred priests languish in prison—the remainder of those formerly in service have perished from privation and starvation or have been exiled and executed," Dr. Walsh said, explaining that he has been an eyewitness at trials in Russia involving Catholic clergy.

"The Soviet government, by its deliberate choice," Dr. Walsh continued, "has transferred its belligerency to every hearth and home, and enlarged a domestic policy into an international menace which strikes at the very foundation of Christian civilization.

"Somber actualities are sometimes obscured by tourists returning from Moscow and reporting they visited churches and found religious services being conducted as usual. Did the visitor have an opportunity to inspect Sotovetsky Island, or the cells or the prison camps where so many are confined under conditions of actual slavery?

Faithful Face Perils.

"What guarantee is given that the ministers of religion whom the tourists saw are at liberty now? They are disappearing daily, and the lay members of all churches, who remain loyal to their faith, do so at peril of their lives, liberties and happiness. Church laws which have been set up are the essence of persecution.

"Serenely confident of the outcome of this conflict between light and darkness, the church continues in prayer and hope and suffering," Dr. Walsh said. "She has nineteen centuries behind her and all the future before her.

"The Roman Catholic Church will not recoil, retreat, nor compromise before the Soviet government's continued invasion of the most sacred human heritage."

Dr. James Francis Kennedy, of Ottawa, Ontario, was last night elected president of the association.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 29 (A.P.). Dr. James Francis Kenney, of Ottawa, Ont., was last night elected president of the American Catholic Historical Association.

Other officers were: Dr. Constantine E. McGuire, Washington D. C., first vice president; the Right Rev. Edward J. McGorlick, Brooklyn, N. Y., second vice president; the Rev. John Keating Cartwright, St. Patrick's Church, Washington, treasurer; Dr. Peter Gilday, Catholic University, Washington, secretary; the Rev. George G. Stratemeier, Catholic University, assistant secretary, and Miss Josephine Lyon, Catholic University, archivist.

C. E. McGuire Reelected At Historical Meeting

Minneapolis, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Herbert E. Bolton, of the University of California, Berkeley, was elected president of the American Historical Association today, succeeding Carl Becker, of Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.

Charles A. Beard, of New Milford, Conn., author of historical works, was elevated to the first vice presidency, and William E. Dodd, of the University of Chicago, was chosen second vice president. Dexter Perkins, of the University of Rochester, was renamed secretary, and Constantine E. McGuire, of Washington, D. C., was reelected treasurer.

Picture in Newspaper Leads Mother to Son

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Crying "I want my child," an excited woman burst into the Children's Society headquarters here today, a piece of torn newspaper clutched in her hand. She pointed to the picture of 6-year-old Jack Miller in a Christmas party group at the Bronx quarters of the society. He was sent for, stood wide-eyed for an instant, then flung himself into the woman's arms.

Officials told the mother, Mrs. Anna Briehl, the Bronx Children's Court will hear on January 6 her story that she lost trace of the boy two years ago when she separated from his father.

Rail Rate Rise Due To Net 100 Million

Roads Serve Notice Boost Will Become Effective January 4.

(Associated Press.)

The railroads yesterday gave formal notice that increased freight rates would become effective January 4.

The general organization of carriers filed a "master tariff," under which the Interstate Commerce Commission will authorize the application of increases through surcharges ranging from 6 cents per ton to 2 cents per 100 pounds. The commission expects the increases to yield over $100,000,000 a year.

The carriers have formed an organization known as the Railroad Credit Corporation. This company will collect the money from the surcharges and lend it to needy carriers at 6 per cent interest for two-year terms. Eventually it will go back to the roads from which it is derived. Meanwhile it is hoped that several large railroads facing possible default on their debts can be tided over.

6 Escape as 4 Buildings Burn.

Metropolis, Ill., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Four buildings on the main business street here were destroyed by fire today, with estimated loss of $75,000. Six persons asleep in one building escaped unhurt.

ABOUT THE SHOWSHOPS

With NELSON B. BELL

IT required no more than the first five minutes of a visit that lasted almost an hour in his dressing room yesterday afternoon to make clear that if Conrad Nagel were not an eminently successful actor, with many fine achievements on both stage and screen to his credit, he might quite as easily be a leader in business, an up-and-coming young banker or an equally successful representative of any other profession than the one he has chosen.

Conrad Nagel.

Six feet tall, alert, clear-eyed, genial and dynamic, his life is made up of a catholicity of activities and interests that are the outward manifestations of a versatile grasp of affairs considerably beyond the range of the average actor—and I bet that down with no thought of disparagement of the ability or endowment of the average actor. I mean, rather, that Mr. Nagel, although of the theater from boyhood, is able to conduct his mental processes in terms outside the four walls of a theater or studio and along lines not wholly centered in grease paint, Klieg or footlights. This, I take it, is no new discovery of mine.

It is due to this fact, obviously, that Mr. Nagel serves on more important bodies engaged in the safeguarding of the best interests of those engaged in the motion picture industry and is a member of more useful committees, art groups and helpful alliances than perhaps any other single member of the craft in Hollywood.

At the moment he is president of the Motion Picture Relief Fund, fashioned something after the pattern of the Actors Fund of America that flourishes in the East under the paternal guidance of Daniel Frohman, and, shortly before leaving the Coast on his present tour, engineered a drive for $100,000 which, he has learned since taking to the road, went over the top with something to spare; he is vice president of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, which makes annual awards for the best acting, best direction, &c., of the year, and is a member of the Actors Adjustment Committee, that adjudicates all manner of disputes, claims, salary differences, and the like that may come up between employe and employer. This last-named committee has established so concrete and coherent a record of precedents by its decisions that it has not had to hold a meeting or sit on a case as a committee of the whole for many months.

THIS conspicuously inadequate attempt to offer a partial appraisal of the humanitarian as well as mental capacity of the man has been made to lend weight to his views regarding certain aspects of picture-making that frequently are laid open to uninformed criticism.

When asked if such an alliance with Equity as failed of consummation after weeks of negotiation would have had any appreciable effect upon present unemployment problems in Hollywood, Mr. Nagel was emphatic in his negative.

"The Actors' Equity Association," he said, "has never been a wage-fixing organization or one that could dictate to the producer what players must or must not be selected for the performance of given parts. It performs many valuable functions, but does not create employment opportunities or fix compensation—an impossible task when one is dealing with creative artists. There is no basis for the determination of an equitable wage scale. One player might be worth $50 per week in a part; another $1,000.

"So, while the ratio of actors available to fill every casting opportunity that arises has perhaps increased a hundredfold, the same thing reasonably may be expected to have happened even had we joined Equity.

"And the reason we did not affiliate with Equity, I think, is widely misunderstood. Agreement was reached upon every point at issue, except one. That one seemed then, and still seems, vital to the welfare of the motion picture industry. We insisted that we be recognized as an autonomous body. We felt that we should not be subject to the arbitrary dictation of a council operating from 3,000 miles away, and, perhaps, not familiar with the conditions and circumstances surrounding the cases upon which it might be called to pass judgment. The association refused to grant us autonomy. Had we been given the rights of a self-governing body, every concession Equity sought to gain would have been granted."

CONCERNING production and the general character and quality of material that is now finding its way to the screen, Mr. Nagel is no less articulate and cogent.

"When Belasco was producing plays," he observed in reply to another artless query, "he was fortunate, don't you think, if he secured five or six knockouts in a single year. Suppose, even, that he produced ten hits a year and that all competitive stage producers did as well. That would have been hailed as a miraculous achievement for them all. Well, consider what the film companies are up against. Each of the major producing organizations pledges itself to from 18 or 20 to as high as 52 feature pictures a year!

"Specialized cinematic forms can not be developed at that rate. The screen has no time to evolve a technique of its own. It is too busy making pictures. So it is, that those in charge of production are compelled to take their material where they find it."

HAVING been a successful actor upon the stage before transplanting his talents to the films some twelve or fifteen years ago, the tour of personal appearances is not the novelty to Conrad Nagel that it has proved to some of his film associates who have preceded him to the Capital.

His present is his first visit to Washington since his appearance here about ten years ago in support of Alice Brady. He is accompanied by Mrs. Nagel and their daughter, Ruth, aged 11. They have been entertained since their arrival by President and Mrs. Hoover at luncheon at the White House. Mr. Nagel and the President had considerable in common to start with—each was born in Iowa and migrated later to California.

The present tour will be continued on a week-to-week basis, Mr. Nagel being on call by the studio the moment his next picture goes into production.

For the benefit of those who have not yet had the privilege of enjoying a personal glimpse of one of the most engaging personalities of the cinema, I hope they do not call him in too soon!

IT required a bit of a sprint to reach another of the downtown stage-and-screen houses in time to catch another of filmdom's famous fellows before he went on. I mean Harry Langdon, at RKO-Keith's.

Harry Langdon.

I was glad I got there as early as I did, because it enabled me to meet a Harry Langdon I had never seen before and one you may never have seen at all.

When Hardie Meakin led me back through the labyrinth of twisting passages to the star dressing room, it was a good deal like coming out of a day's ramble around Mammoth Cave. What I'm getting at is that I may have been slightly confused and maybe a little muddled when I finally entered the dressing room and came face to face with a solemn, horn-rim spectacled young fellow, still on this side of middle age by a good margin, who looked for all the world as if he might be a studious young college professor or maybe a divinity student destined for the cloth.

Gradually, there before my very eyes, the young divinity student disappeared and in his place grew the abashed, bewildered, and plaintively ridiculous pan of the seemingly simple-minded comic figure everyone knows from his stage acts and his many hilarious films—both short-reels and features—released by Hal Roach, First National and others of the industry's leaders.

Harry is, to my mind, one of the most effective comedians the screen has ever known, next possibly to only Chaplin himself.

IN appearing again upon the stage, Harry Langdon, like Conrad Nagel, is experiencing no new thrill, but is merely returning to his first love.

Also born in Iowa, Harry found his way to the stage when he was a mere kid of 12 or so and has been there ever since, save for those excursions into pictures. He last played Washington in 1920, in the same house where he is now appearing, and long before that was a more or less regular visitor to the old P. B. Chase Theater, afterward Poli's and now completely eradicated from the site it so long occupied at the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Fifteenth street.

A pretty shrewd showman, this Langdon. Asked if he ever thought of going into a production, he admitted to three offers during the past year.

"The first one," said he, "didn't look very hot after I had read the script and I turned thumbs down on it, much to the disgust of my advisers who figured, I guess, that I was passing up the opportunity of a lifetime. To tell you the truth, I wasn't sure that I wasn't. Later I knew, and so did they. The show laid an egg and died after three consecutive nights in Boston.

"Then they wanted me for the Peter Arno show, 'There Goes the Bride.' I couldn't see that, either, although Bobby Clark, of Clark & McCullough, grabbed himself a little added fame by stealing the works with a lot of his own material that was never in the script.

"Irving Berlin and Sam Harris were next. They wanted me for a production that Berlin was pretty well steamed up about, but Harris hadn't seen. I read the script and passed that one up, too. When Sam Harris finally read the book, turned it down and they paid me two weeks salary for my trouble and called it a day, I began to think I knew something."

HARRY does know something. In fact, he knows a lot of things.

Among them are cartooning and newspaper work. He has done both and is a perfect subject for a hack interviewer because he can talk our language and knows what printers' ink smells like.

From his remarks about the newspaper game and the old yen for the drawing board, I gather that Harry is more than anything else in search of quiet and contentment; not too much traveling; not too much cracking of the managerial whip around his ears, and not too much sustained effort at any one time.

Vaudeville he loves and finds easy, but not too easy, now that the standard thing in the combination houses is four shows a day in place of the old-time two. After one has scored in the films there is, too, a monetary attractiveness to vodevil which, I imagine, none of the old-time troupers finds obnoxious.

Asked about the possibility of a return to the screen, the good Dr. Langdon dropped the happy hint that that is by no means an impossibility. Two proposals are being given his very serious consideration. Both, as I understand it, have to do with the production of short-reel dialogue subjects, rather than feature-length productions.

The report that there is still an operative movie contract in force under the terms of which Harry Langdon is obligated to make more feature pictures for early release is, I am told, wholly wrthout foundation. No such document exists.

REVERTING momentarily to the Fourth Estate, which is very elegant slang for the newspaper racket, Harry reminded me that a feminine writer on a widely read New York tabloid had recently written and published a powerful piece pointing out that "a certain comedian—and a swell one, at that—famous on both stage and screen, is a sucker for pretty women, and as a result, etc., etc., etc."

"Let me tell you about that." Could I say no? "Harry from now on isn't a sucker for anything! My first wife I am paying alimony, yes. But if I get it finished as I want it before I leave town, I want you to see the reply I am rigging up for the lady who wrote me my 'sucker' story. Boy, will it set her rag on fire!"

Without pinning him down too minutely to matters that were none of my business, or yours, or yours, or yours, I still gathered that if the courts by any chance should award the plaintiff in the latest action any such claims as she asserts to be her legal rights, she would find friend husband more willing to spend his time behind the bars than to pay. The lad seems really to have stopped being a sucker, no kidding.

That jail thing might not be a bad idea, at that. For one thing, it would be a gorgeous rest after months of trouping! Lock Harry Langdon up in the hoosegow with a typewriter and a set of drawing tools and something might come out of that particular jail that would make a whole nation as gay as Harry, in person, has so many times across the footlights or up there on that silver sheet.

In the meantime, I'll lay as high as eight to five that if you pass him on the street you'll never know him!

SCIENTISTS EVOLVE SYNTHETIC VITAMIN

Preventive for Rickets is Reported Produced; Milk Sterilized by Sound.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 29 (A.P.). Sterilization of milk by supersound waves and production in America of the world's first synthetic vitamin were announced to the American Association for the Advancement of Science today.

Milk can be sterilized by sound waves, said Dr. Newton Gaines and Dr. L. A. Chambers, of Texas Christian University, as effectively as by pasteurization. The sound waves do not spoil the milk for human use.

Milk is fed upward through an inverted funnel. A hollow tube, aimed at the funnel just below its large end, vibrates at high speed like a tuning fork. It produces sound waves, which resemble a high pitched musical note, and are concentrated in the funnel, somewhat as though a college cheer leader were shouting into the large end of his megaphone. The concentrated sound waves kill 99 per cent of the bacteria in the milk, said Dr. Gaines.

Killing Done by Sound.

Sound does the killing because it is a form of energy, but just how it kills the bacteria is not yet understood. The tube is vibrated by electrical energy. Dr. Gaines said his device will sterilize any fluid that contains bacteria, and can be operated continuously. Thus milk might be fed into the "sound sterilizer" as fast as it came from the dairy, then sent from there to bottles.

Scientists all over the world have been racing to synthesize vitamins, to produce them by test tubes from a handful of chemicals. Vitamins have been successfully "isolated," that it, extracted, and vitamin D recently has been made by the action of ultra violet light, but the "first handful of chemicals" discovery was announced today by Dr. Charles E. Bills, and Francis G. McDonald, of Mead Johnson & Co., Evansville, Ind.

Produce Vitamin D.

They produced vitamin D, the rickets preventative, from ergosterol, a plant substance which ordinarily turns into the vitamin under sunshine. But without using light they obtained it by treating ergosterol with methyl alcohol, ether and ethyl acetate under low temperature and with rigid exclusion of oxygen. Finally they washed the preparation with ammonia.

The resulting vitamin is not as powerful as that obtained from sunshine and ultra violet light, they stated, but "holds the important position of being the first chemical synthesis of a vitamin" and offers unusual possibilities.

With the ultra violet method, Dr. Bills said his laboratory has made the world's most powerful vitamin D, in an apparatus where "the daily capacity is equal to the life's work of 160,000 codfish storing vitamin D."

Yield the Right-of-Way, Traffic Motto for 1932

This is a New Year's resolution for all motorists.

"Yield the right-of-way to all persons entited thereto."

It was suggested by Edwin S. Hege, traffic expert of the Federation of Citizens Associations, and approved by the group.

For smoother flowing traffic, for less accidents and for the benefit of the pedestrian, "yield the right-of-way" in 1932.

WIDE SEARCH BEGUN FOR TERROR BANDITS

Hunt Follows Raid on Town in Minnesota and Bank Robbery Later.

Pine River, Minn., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Search for six men who terrorized citizens of this village early today extended over a wide area tonight after robbery of a bank, 125 miles away.

Officers said they believed there was a connection between the two raids. In the first, members of four families here were routed from bed and held prisoner two hours while two homes and two business houses were robbed of $600 in cash, jewelry and merchandise.

Late today the State Bank of Sabin, Minn., was held up and $2,500 seized by the three robbers, who fled in an automobile driven by another.

Armed with a machine gun and other weapons, the six awakened Frank Marsh, garageman here, in the early morning hours and compelled him to direct them to the constable, Ole Houghward. The constable was slugged into unconsciousness and while one of the bandits guarded his house, the others entered the Benjamin Horrigan home, near the Horrigan store. Two men watched over Mrs. Horrigan and a sister while Horrigan was forced to open the store safe and hand out $200 and some jewelry.

Harold Hill, hardware store owner, was next routed from sleep, and forced to open his store. The bandits took $110, pistol shells and merchandise. Some cash and jewelry were also seized from the homes. All the victims were then herded into the Horrigan home, where the four men were locked in the basement and the three women in a bedroom. The sextet fled in an automobile.

Hill said the men were either crazed by liquor or under the influence of narcotics.

North Dakota officials expressed belief the gang might have been the one which wounded a Nekoma, N. Dak., merchant while attempting to rob his store Sunday.

Sir James O'Connor Dies.

London, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The Right Hon. Sir James O'Connor, formerly attorney general for Ireland, died today. He was 59.

MILLS DENOUNCES TAX PLAN CONSIDERED BY DEMOCRATS

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cratic party. There is no complete program yet."

Representative Henry T. Rainey (Democrat), of Illinois, Democratic leader of the House, refrained from commenting on Mr. Mills' statement, although it was at proposals advanced by Representative Rainey that the Acting Secretary of the Treasury principally directed his verbal fire.

Referring to the proposal of the Democratic leader to increase surtaxes as a means of producing necessary additional revenue, Mr. Mills said that "if we should increase surtaxes by 100 per cent we would collect only about $200,000,000 additional during the calendar year 1932, and probably the amount would be considerably less. Even if we should triple the surtax rate on incomes over $100,000, which would mean a 60 per cent maximum rate, we would, even from a theoretical standpoint, collect only an additional $120,000,000 during the calendar year 1932. Only half of these amounts would be available during the present fiscal year to lessen an estimated deficit of $2,123,000,000."

Only an "insignificant sum" could be realized from "sweeping increases in estate taxes" in the fiscal year 1933, Mr. Mills said.

"To put the matter bluntly," he said, "aside from the attempt to collect at best comparatively small amounts by a drastic increase in taxes on the so-called rich, what the Democratic leaders propose is to finance not only this but next year's deficit through borrowing and to continue this course. There is apparently to be no serious effort made to arrest the steady increase in the public debt during the next eighteen months of work toward the attainment of a balanced budget in the near future.

"This will not do. There is nothing so important to the people of the United States in this period of deep depression as the maintenance of the credit of the United States Government. It stands high because of the sound fiscal policies pursued in the past. It can only be preserved by a like observance of sound financial principles in the future.

Cites Immediate Need.

"It is not a question of taxing or not taxing the rich. The rich must in any event bear additional burdens. The question is whether others in more moderate circumstances are to be asked to contribute their share based on their capacity to pay and whether other taxes imposed in the past without hardship to any one are to be resorted to during this emergency, or whether readily available resources are to be ignored for reasons which bear no relation to economic effects or the fiscal needs of the Government."

The administration fiscal program, Mr. Mills said, "by no means spared those with large incomes," but, he contended, "it is undeniable that those with moderate incomes have some capacity to contribute small amounts to the support of their Government.

"Can it fairly be said that a man with an income of $5,000 can not afford to pay $31.50 in taxes to the Federal Government, or one with an income of $10,000 as much as $153?" he asked. "This is all that would be demanded of them under the individual income tax rates included in the Treasury's program."

Referring to Representative Rainey's opposition to sales taxes as "undemocratic" because such taxes impose an equal burden on rich and poor, Mr. Mills said that "it is entirely out of the question" to raise required additional revenue through income taxes and pointed out that the proposed excise taxes had been in effect before.

Who could object if cigarettes, radios, automobiles and other articles are made to cost "a trifle more" by such taxes, Mr. Mills asked, or that a charge of 2 cents each was levied by the Government on each check written.

The Acting Secretary of the Treasury rose to the defense of those who are selling securities at the end of the year so that they may deduct from their income their so-called capital losses, describing as "doubtful morality" a proposal by Mr. Rainey to make retroactive an amendment of the tax law prohibiting this. The Government had profited largely for a number of years through taxing capital gains, Mr. Mills said.

Helps Solidify Democrats.

Frankly an attack on Democratic proposals for tax revision, Mr. Mills' statement probably helped to solidify the House Democratic opinion, despite the fact that not even the party leaders, much less the rank and file, had yet come to agreement on all aspects of a tax revision program.

In making his statement, Representative Rainey frankly said he was expressing his own views, which he hoped would find favor with other leaders of his party. But Speaker Garner indicated the militant attitude of his party by declaring that $200,000,000 a year could be saved to the Government under the existing tax law if existing loopholes were stopped.

He refused to say just what holes he had in mind, but his statement was by way of criticism of the Treasury administration. Some of the holes, he said, had been left intentionally.

Collier Favors Revision.

Representative Collier (Democrat), of Mississippi, chairman of the ways and means committee, which shall formulate the tax revision, tariff and other revenue laws of this Congress, disagreed with some of the proposals advanced by Representative Rainey, notably the proposal to make the revised tax schedules retroactive to apply to the current year. He agreed, however, that the capital gains and losses section of the tax law needed revision, but said that he was opposed to outright appeal.

The proposal to make the new tax schedules retroactive has the indorsement of Representative Bertrand H. Snell (Republican), of New York, and other administration leaders, as well as of Representative Rainey. Though he opposed it Representative Collier said he would not close his mind definitely to the idea until after he had had further time for study, adding that he would not resort to such a provision until after all other proper and just means of raising required revenue had been exhausted. He approved of increased surtaxes and agreed with Speaker Garner and Mr. Rainey in opposing the sales taxes suggested by the Treasury.

So far as the proposal to cut Government salaries to help advance the budget, Representative Collier said that "the savings would not amount to a drop in the bucket in comparison with the amount of money now being expended."

RAINEY PLAN TO GIVE ONLY ONE RUM VOTE

Announcement Is Made as Ashurst Spurns Dry Quiz Post; Black Named.

(Associated Press.)

The Democratic House will be allowed one vote and no more this session on the question of prohibition under a plan announced yesterday by Majority Leader Rainey.

The Illinois Democrat said the wet forces would be notified they could not have a roll-call on a referendum on the eighteenth amendment and a ballot in the return of light wines and beer, too.

Simultaneously with this announcement, Senator Ashurst (Democrat), Arizona, refused to serve on a Senate judiciary subcommittee named to conduct hearings on the dry laws. Ashurst, a prohibitionist, said he had "no time to waste in aiding those who are attempting to weaken or relax" them.

Senator Black, of Alabama, another Democratic friend of prohibition, was appointed by Senator Norris (Republican), Nebraska, chairman in Ashurst's place.

Doubtless Will Serve.

Black said he "presumed" he would serve, but asserted that it was more important to the people for Congress to "consider the terrible economic conditions than it is to hear people's personal opinions on the eighteenth amendment."

In a statement, Ashurst said:

"I voted for the eighteenth amendment, for the Volstead law, for the antibeer bill and for all the appropriations necessary to enforce the same. I do not believe I made any mistake in so voting. I have no time to waste in aiding those who are attempting to weaken or relax that amendment or those laws. It is a ridiculous waste of effort to attempt to relax or modify the prohibition laws. The people are looking for jobs, not jags."

Explaining the procedure under which the prohibition vote would be had in the House, Rainey said the judiciary committee, preponderantly dry, would not favorably report a measure calling for a referendum on the eighteenth amendment or for modification of the dry laws.

"The wets will have to bring the bill to the floor through the petition of 145 members," Rainey said. "That is the only way in which they can do it. They will have but one vote and that either on a referendum or light wines and beer. They can't have both. The rules of the House will be so interpreted."

Referendum Best Bet.

"The referendum will have a better chance of getting by because a lot of drys, like myself, will vote for it." He added he knew many "Southern Democrats who would like to vote for a referendum."

After Ashurst's withdrawal, Senator Norris noted that the line-up on the subcommittee was unchanged, with two wets, Chairman Blaine, Wisconsin, and Senator Hebert, Rnode Island, Republican; and three drys, Borah of Idaho, Republican, Walsh of Montana, and Black of Alabama, Democrats.

The group is expected to start hearings in about two weeks on measures by Senator Bingham, Republican, Connecticut, calling for repeal of the eighteenth amendment, regulation of wood alcohol traffic and to permit physicians to prescribe malt liquors.

Mrs. K. E. MacVeagh Willed Mother's Estate

Special to The Washington Post.

New York, Dec. 29—Mrs. Katherine E. MacVeagh, whose address is given as, "In care of the Department of State, Washington, D. C.," inherits the entire estate of her mother, the late Mrs. Elizabeth C. Oakman, according to Mrs. Oakman's will filed here today for probate.

Mrs. Oakman died on November 23, last. The full value of the estate is not revealed, the petition filed with the will merely stating that it amounts to "over $10,000," the technical expression generally used here in such cases when the estate is large. Mrs. McVeagh also is named the executrix.

Newfoundland to Avoid Default, Expert Finds

Montreal, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Sir Percy Thompson, British treasury financial expert loaned to the Newfoundland government, said today that Newfoundland would not default its obligations in January.

He said negotiations for the placing of credits at the disposal of the Dominion by Canadian banks had so far proceeded that he considered the situation saved. Four banks were mentioned by Sir Percy as taking part in the Newfoundland credit. They are the Bank of Montreal, Canadian Bank of Commerce, Bank of Nova Scotia and the Royal Bank. Sir Percy refused to state the amount involved.

Sun Born of Star That Burst, View

Solar System Not Created Through Collision, Dr. Gunn Holds.

Opinion that the solar system was created by the bursting of a giant star rather than through the collision of two stars was expressed yesterday by Dr. Ross Gunn, of the United States Naval Laboratory, in an address before the American Astronomical Society, in session here.

Dr. Gunn advanced the theory that the immense star broke into two large pieces, one of which he believes may have become the sun. The other, according to his theory, sped off to be lost in space. Smaller pieces of the star held near the sun by its attraction became planets, the scientist suggested.

It is possible, Dr. Gunn told the society, that other large stars burst in a similar manner, creating various planetary systems. Conditions on these planets are similar to those on the earth, he believes, but whether they are inhabited is a question that will long remain unanswered, he added.

Sea Captains Freed in Rebel Plot.

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 29 (A.P.). Three sea captains, suspected of implication last summer in a plot to transport 75 Cuban revolutionists from this country to Cuba, were exonerated today by investigating police and Federal officials. The men are Capts. Curtis Hilton, Harold Fidler and Clarence Starn.

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PROMOTING A DOLE.

Once more the specter of the dole raises its head on Capitol Hill under the sponsorship of Senators La Follette and Costigan. In support of bills they have introduced these senators have invited witnesses from all parts of the country to come to Washington and unload their woes upon Uncle Sam. In this way they hope to be able to prove that private contributions are inadequate to take care of the situation and that a dole from the Federal Treasury will be necessary to save the unemployed from starvation.

It is not difficult to find welfare directors who will come to Washington and plead for national aid. A Federal appropriation to local charitable agencies would be like manna from heaven. Regardless of what their needs might be, they would always welcome a handout from Uncle Sam, on the theory that they were getting something for nothing.

Testimony from the New York and Chicago witnesses was not convincing. William Hodson, executive director of the Welfare Council of New York City, said that about $70,000,000 will be available from private contributions, public funds, pensions, &c., for relief work in that metropolis. Chicago has $5,000,000 now available and expects $10,000,000 more from the Illinois Legislature. Why should these great centers of wealth be petitioning the Government for charity funds? Wall street and Michigan boulevard are capable of supporting their own unemployed. If these municipalities can not handle the situation they ought to go into voluntary bankruptcy and allow the State Legislatures to set up responsible city governments.

It is apparent that these large cities have ample funds to care for their immediate needs. Mr. Hodson admitted that no one would starve in New York, but protested that the funds available would be inadequate. The demands of charity are never satisfied, but the American people always supply enough to prevent suffering and dire distress. When the available funds are exhausted there need be no fear that the sources of charity will be dried up. People who have contributed once will give more if it becomes necessary. Local governmental units can find a way of further increasing appropriations for this purpose when the need arises.

One of the most significant statements that went into the record was the observation of Senator Costigan that "far the larger part of our efficient social work is sustained and assured through State and local taxes." He thereby admits that charity is a local function. Senator La Follette recognized the same fact when he introduced a bill that would allocate $250,000,000 to the States for relief work. The absurdity of their project is that they would raise funds by Federal taxation to be spent by local agencies.

With a prospective $2,000,000,000 deficit confronting the Treasury, it is preposterous to say that the Government is in a better position to meet this situation than are the States and municipalities. Every cent that might be appropriated for relief would have to be exacted from taxpayers who are already overburdened. If taxes must be levied for relief work, why should the Government, which has no local relief agencies, take that responsibility? The La Follette and Costigan bills would constitute an outrageous invasion of the rights and duties of local government. It is inconceivable that Congress will consider them seriously.

AFRAID TO ALTER TARIFF.

Chairman Collier, of the House ways and means committee, admits that the Democratic party does not intend to carry out its avowed tariff policy at the present session of Congress. This is no time, says Mr. Collier, for a general revision of duties. World conditions are such that the Democratic party does not dare to suggest that the Smoot-Hawley act, which it so bitterly condemns, be wiped off the statute books.

This is an important admission from the chairman of the committee which must initiate tariff legislation. Democrats continue to charge that the tariff is a foremost cause of the world-wide depression and that it has ruined American foreign trade, but when they take over control of the House, they decide to leave the iniquitous law in force for the protection of American producers against abnormal foreign conditions. This is the same brand of hypocrisy that was practiced in 1928. A national election is again approaching. Democratic legislators doubtless realize that if Congress released a flood of cheap foreign goods upon the American market when domestic factories are idle and millions are without work, it would encounter the wrath of the entire country.

Representative Collier says that a bill for revision of some features of the Smoot-Hawley act will be sponsored by the Democrats, but indications are that it will be chiefly concerned with reorganization of the Tariff Commission. Such a measure would be a mere gesture, because it would be vetoed at the White House, even if it were passed by Congress. If tariff rates were opened, there should be higher duties for some commodities, in view of the collapse of foreign prices and the suspension of the gold standard by a considerable number of governments. The Democrats can not afford to make tariff reduction a practical issue; they know that it would destroy them.

When the tariff act was in the making Democratic members of Congress were avaricious in demanding protection for the producers of their own States. When assured that the bill would pass they voted against it to uphold the party's traditional policy. Now they maneuver to avoid the downward revision which they have been publicly demanding. Expediency may yet write another ambiguous plank squinting at protection in the Democratic party platform.

The public is tired of this duplicity. The Democratic party can not successfully pretend to be advocating protection just prior to national elections and then reverting to antiprotection for the purpose of discrediting the tariff. The public knows that the Democratic party is not in favor of protecting American commerce and industry by a tariff.

COORDINATING BUREAUS.

Need for a sweeping reorganization of Government bureaus, commissions and boards has been recognized for many years. But Congress has shied at the mention of abolishing agencies in which many constituents are interested. Hence, the Government has been allowed to grow at haphazard, with no attempt at consolidation and little thought for economy.

President Hoover has called attention to the need for "a general reorganization of the Federal Government" on various occasions, but his advice has gone unheeded. Now that Congress faces the task of cutting appropriations to the bone it may be more interested in the project. The President is confident that coordination of Federal activities on a scientific basis would result in substantial savings. If Congress is sincere in its effort to reduce the deficit and make the additional tax load as light as possible it can not ignore this source of economy.

Efficiency as well as economy would be fostered by coordination of Federal agencies. Mr. Hoover pointed out to the Seventy-first Congress, for example, that responsibility for the conservation of natural resources is divided among eight agencies in five departments. A consistent national policy is virtually impossible under such conditions. Each bureau becomes a law unto itself, following out its policies with little regard for the general principles that should govern all conservation activities.

President Hoover induced Congress at the last session to concentrate all veterans' affairs under a single organization, but activities pertaining to public building, health, education, &c., remain hopelessly divided. The President especially recommends coordination of all construction under a public works administrator who would be responsible directly to the President, and that the Shipping Board's administrative functions be transferred to the Commerce Department.

The "essential principles of reorganization" enunciated by Mr. Hoover are fundamentally sound. He advocates: First, that all administrative activities of the same major purpose should be placed in groups under single-headed responsibility; second, all executive and administrative functions should be separated from boards and commissions and placed under individual responsibility, while quasi legislative and quasi judicial and broadly advisory functions should be removed from individual authority and assigned to boards and commissions.

Reorganization along these or any other lines will not be accomplished easily. Bureaus and commissions are famous for their tenacity. Politics will dull the pruning knife, and the complexity of the task may induce Congress to neglect it. Nevertheless, the demand for economy of a type that will not impair the efficiency of the Government will be strong. Congress should cut off useless bureaus and coordinate all related functions under responsible executives.

EXPORT FILMS.

The advent of the talkie confronted motion picture producers with the serious problem of exporting films to countries speaking a different language. Foreign audiences were unable to understand the actors, and when a translation was made of their speeches and put with the action, the result was ludicrous. In Germany where this was attempted the audiences roared with laughter at first, and then became bored by the incongruity. Later an attempt was made to refilm the same scenario, but the public would not pay to see unknown actors in Hollywood pieces, even though they were able to speak the lines in the local language.

Hope was not abandoned, however, and at last a perfect picture was produced. In Germany the American film "Flight," featuring Jack Holt and Robert Greaves, was shown with these actors speaking perfect German. The lip movements corresponded exactly with the sound. German audiences were delighted. It seemed unbelievable that the picture could have been done by any but German actors. Yet it was the original English version. Not only were German words substituted but they had to be selected to fit the lip movements of the actors as well as the meaning.

In order to accomplish the translation, the silent version was run off over a hundred times while the German cast and writer looked on. When finally the words were evolved to the point of greatest possible accuracy the actual rehearsing was started. When the cast had mastered the difficulties of synchronizing their speech with that of the American stars the refilming began with the German actors standing in front of the silent film, having their voices recorded with the original action. The process was a long and laborious one, running into great expense, but the results were so gratifying that it has been repeated. This method would not, of course, be so expensive as restaging the whole scenario, and, furthermore, it retained the attraction of the well known actors.

It might be thought that this system would not be practical in character parts such as Will Rogers plays. To portray his humor and mannerisms in a foreign language would seem absurd. Yet just this has been accomplished. His film, "The Connecticut Yankee," has just been done, and Will emerges as a true son of the Fatherland, with a German drawl.

This method was tried in Spanish, but the films, when shown in several Latin American cities, started riots. The natives did not like seeing Americans speak their language in this uncanny manner and they proceeded to demolish the interior of the theaters. The experiment had to be abandoned. In many South American countries the spoken part is retained in English, and titles explaining the dialogue are used. As English is compulsory in many of the schools, the American films are especially acceptable to the young people. In this way the movies can contribute to practical knowledge of a foreign language. A few countries in Latin America, however, have forbidden the importation or showing of films in which English is spoken.

Well, new prison construction is helping to relieve unemployment.

Young New Year is about to appear in true American style—minus his shirt.

The United States will remain aloof from the international debt parleys. A burnt child dreads the fire.

What we can't understand is why prospective candidates worry about the presidential bee. It is only the people who get stung.

Just about the time we get aroused over the way John Bull treats the Indians somebody comes along and tells how we mistreat ours.

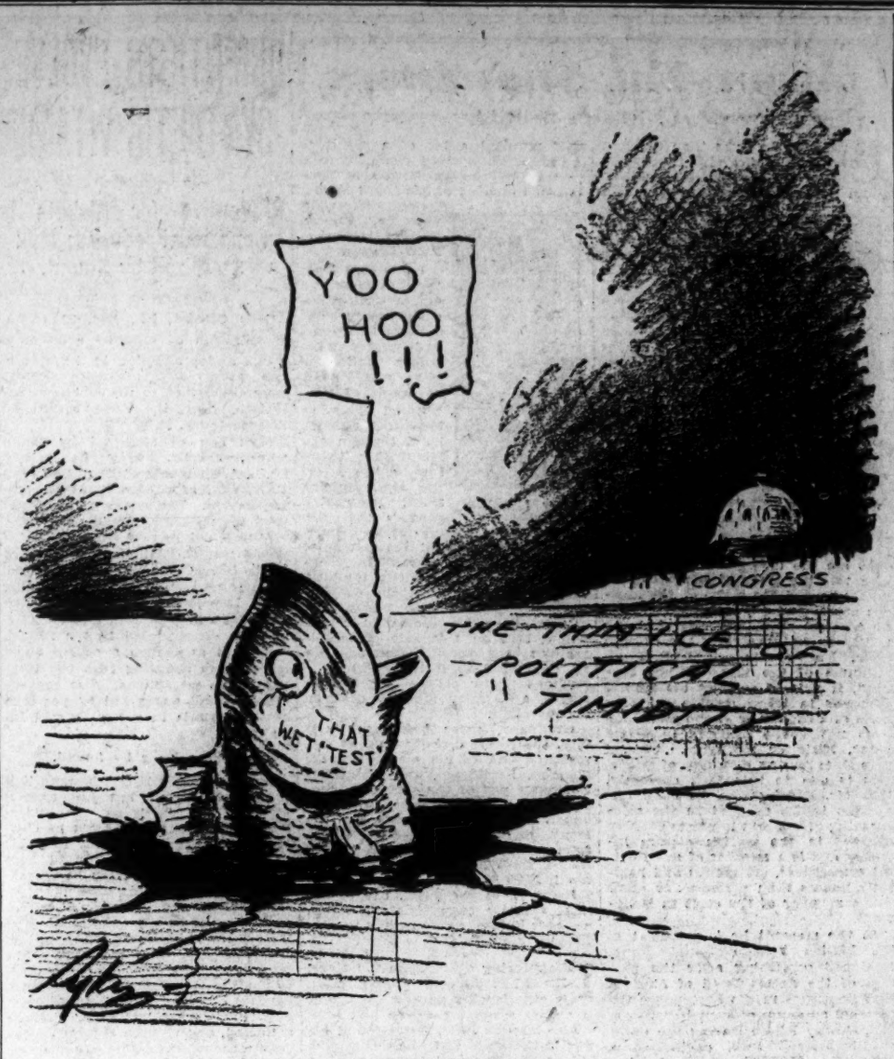
PRESIDENTS' REWARDS

From the Boston Transcript.

In these reflective hours between the holidays, the wonder may be permitted whether any of the worthy citizens who expect to be nominated and elected as President in succession to Mr. Hoover—Gov. Roosevelt, for example, or former Gov. Smith, or Gov. Ritchie, or Mr. Baker, or Dark Horse Traylor, among the Democrats, or any stout, self-assertive giant of the insurgent West among the Republicans—expects to find the presidential chair a more comfortable or reposeful seat than Mr. Hoover has found it, or than Mr. Coolidge found it before him, or Mr. Harding, or Mr. Wilson, or Col. Roosevelt, or Gen. Grant, or the hounded and slandered Andy Johnson, or Honest Old Abe, with his Greeleys and his Copperheads, or even the Father of His Country, whose noble life was shortened and his majestic soul afflicted by outrageous calumnies and despicable attacks. Has there ever been a President who during his term of office was not bitterly opposed, maligned where opposition failed, harassed at every turn, called by all manner of evil names, accused of treason when he sought only the country's good, and in the meantime was not overworked, deprived of his rest, and begrudged his every moment of rest and recreation? Has there ever been any President, except Theodore Roosevelt, who really enjoyed the storm that raged about his ears?

Yes—it all began with Washington. McMasters, in his "History of the People," says: "In 1789 and 1792 every man was for Washington. In 1796, in every town and city in the land were men who denounced him as an aristocrat, as a monocrat, as an Anglomaniac, and who never mentioned his name without rage in their hearts and curses on their lips." Was the Presidency worth that price? Has it ever, to the incumbent of the office, been worth the price of obloquy to which it has assigned him? To Theodore Roosevelt, yes, perhaps. In his case the maxim of a great predecessor might have been partly quoted, "To those who like that sort of thing, that is just the sort of thing they like." But to whom else among the Presidents? Yet men still seek this exalted but most uncomfortable office. Why? Surely it can not be for pleasure or for passing satisfaction. We may give them all credit for a disposition to serve their country. But human capacity is fairly common; and it is monstrous, or Caesarian, or Napoleonic, or Mussolini-like, to suppose oneself the only man in a great country who can wisely or safely lead in its affairs. We must acquit all living Americans who are seeking the Presidency of any inordinate greed of power, especially since the wise fathers, with their redoubtable checks and balances, have turned the power which is supposed to reside at the White House into a snare and a delusion.

Why, we repeat, do these gentlemen remain ambitious of the Presidency? Each one of them is in a fairly comfortable situation at present. Not one is in bonds or exile. No wolf howls at the door of any one of them. We must not ascribe to any one of them motives of dark personal or political revenge. They are all good fellows. What then do they see, at this pinnacle of discord, that they crave? Manifestly one supreme thing, and that is the honorable inscription that awaits them on the tablets of their country's history. It is a name written highest in the records of the land of the free and the home of the brave. "President"—it is a word above "king," above "emperor," above all the lordly titles that have resounded from the speaking trumpet of earthly fame. To the American, it is the zenith of honor. And yet a posthumous honor, in most cases! Seldom have we had more than one former President. We have but one now. What of the trumpet-peal of fame, if the hero's ear is "stopped with dust?" Much, perhaps, if it is heard by those he leaves behind.



Becoming Impatient. (Copyright, 1931.)

POST HASTE.

Aren't you amazed at the ease with which young Senator La Follette can portion out five and a half billions if Uncle Sam will just provide it?

"Al Smith, the only potential candidate to speak at Jackson Day dinner." Potent portent of a party plank.

Senator Moses refuses a broadcasting offer, probably fearing that without congressional immunity his remarks would be colorless.

Gandhi got some big ideas in London, but his offer to sacrifice a million lives for the independence of India was not received as hilariously by the sacrificees as he expected.

Finland is taking two days off to vote on a prohibition referendum. It is certain that the result will be—

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No, Muriel, Mr. Hines, the American member of the Manchurian commission, is not, as you surmise, the honey and almond cream man.

The British seem to feel that trading West Indian possessions for war debts would be a sort of white slave traffic, worse than selling baseball players. And think of the howl that would go up from island subjects if they were sold down the river under prohibition.

The Culbertson system of changing partners has been vindicated. A hundred rubbers with the same old jokes get on the nerves.

Wet advocates see a decided gain for sentiment on their side as 80 antiprohibition measures have been introduced in Congress as against an average of only 70 in previous years.

The difficulty about further budget cuts is that every little bureau has a representative all its own, and when they line up for back-scratching they make a noise like a majority.

Equal rights for women are gaining. The Duncan sisters, who appear as "Topsy and Eva," are $1,000,000 in debt with assets of $76,000.

Gov. Bill Murray, who called out the militia in Oklahoma to raise the price of oil, now threatens to do it again to lower the price of gasoline. Well, he has better luck ordering his soldiers about than he does the voters.

Only two days left for sacrificing stocks to show losses on income tax returns.

Hindsight political sages do not seem to realize that they are in the same class with the bridgers, who, in the postmortems, are such astute critics of the bidding.

"Washington awaits new moves by Japan in Manchuria." The Japanese are too polite to keep Washington waiting long. PAUL HUDSON.

A GIFTED TREE.

While most folks are content with one kind of fruit on a tree, says the Houston Post Dispatch, L. T. Moore, Cherokee County surveyor, prefers variation. Just now his especial delight is a tree which has a plum stock, an apricot, two peach and two cherry limbs. Each fruit blooms at its natural time. His experiment has proved, however, that peach budded on plum stock will have more rapid growth than on peach stock. This tree has grown some 9 feet in the last five months.

The Moores are lifetime horticultural hobbyists. Mrs. Moore has more than seventy kinds of plants in her flower yard. Thousands of sick rooms have been cheered by Moore flowers. When criticized for crowding Mr. Moore replies: "Of course, I know I'm breaking all rules, but it's the growing of things and not their fruits which most interests me."

One Lion's Cub Would Devour Earth If His Growth Were Not Checked

By ROBERT QUILLEN

WHEN any man accepts the law's protection, he must also accept its restraints. That is just and necessary. When you ask the law to take away your enemy's knife, you must expect it to confiscate all knives, including your own, lest you abuse your advantage.

Consider the matter of getting and holding riches.

The ancient and lawless rule was simple. Each man got as much as he was able to get and held it if he could. The strong man took from the weak and asked for no protection except that afforded by his own weapons.

There is a theory that the weak banded together for mutual protection and made the first of man's laws, but it isn't a reasonable theory. Laws are made by the strong.

When the strong grew fat and soft in idleness, they found a new weapon to protect their loot. They used a fraction of their riches to hire guards, and these in time became policemen, whose chief business it is to protect property.

Thus the rich won security in spite of their softness, but they paid a great price. They prepared the way for community law, which became the will of the majority; and the strong no longer were permitted to rob the weak except by guile and strategy.

Wealth is power. And Nature limits and checks all power lest it destroy her weaker creatures. The fierce and omniverous wolverine is destroyed by his gluttonous devouring of porcupines, quills and all; the terrible python is finished by intestinal worms. Before the reign of law, the arrogance and cruelty of the rich and powerful and was tempered by assassination.

When law came to protect wealth, Nature prevented monopoly. The sons of the rich man, reared in idle luxury, were too weak to hold a strong father's winnings. Every great fortune that seemed a menace was split seven ways at the funeral and was soon spent in riotous living.

Nature long kept the world safe for democracy, but trust funds tricked her. Now great fortunes are safeguarded and perpetuated, so the weak heirs of the strong can't return the money to circulation.

With Nature thwarted, great fortunes grow ever greater, absorbing more and more, so that in the course of generations a few families must inevitably own everything——

Unless the law restrains those it protects, and reopens the highway for public use when the strong man has passed on.

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PRO AND CON

Press Comment Upon Acts and Actors in the Great American Show, "Politics."

Hiram's Dramatic Warning.

Kansas City Star.

The light is dawning. Hiram Johnson is the bearer. He also is the herald. He tells the world. Hiram is not to be deceived. He has rare visions. He has not sat in somewhat lonely grandeur in the senate for nothing. He has long suspected his fellow Californian, Mr. Hoover. His ruminations, facilitated by his crowded isolation, have brought the revelation that Mr. Hoover aspires to be a dictator. When others mildly criticize Mr. Hoover's tentative moratorium agreement, after consulting congressional leaders of both parties, Hiram sees the sinister motive behind the proceedings. "This is the sort of thing that makes dictatorship," he shouts, "and this is the sort of thing that arouses rebellion." And Hiram, for one, rebels.

Facing the Music.

Syracuse Post-Standard.

It is a sober, honest facing of the facts that President Hoover gives the country in his budget presentation and his recommendation to Congress that we return to the taxation program of 1924, with its higher rates on income and its renewal of special taxes. One who aimed at avoidance could have been less frank. But he would at the same time have been less helpful. For the facts are the facts of our own Government needs. We, the Nation's individual citizens, are the ones concerned in common. The deficit we have is ours. For its payment we must provide.

Rigors of Depression.

Dallas News.

The depression had been so bad that our hunger marchers have to move across the continent in mere high-speed trucks instead of limousines.

"Refreshed Idealism."

Boston Transcript.

Newton D. Baker is authoritatively quoted, in a letter to the editor of the Winston-Salem Journal, as possessed of "a desire to fight, whether carrying a banner or in the ranks, for a revived liberalism and a refreshed idealism in this country;" an utterance which no doubt will be construed as indicating the willingness of this distinguished Ohio Democrat to lead his party in the next presidential campaign, if the party desires his services. Indeed, Mr. Baker is a little more explicit than this vague quotation would suggest, for he says also that "my greatest joy at the moment is coming from the fact that practically all the comment which suggests a presidential candidacy for me is based upon the need" of this liberalism and idealism. Just what Mr. Baker means by this cryptic language is not made clear by the North Carolina editor. One of the sharpest criticisms directed against Mr. Hoover when he was running for the presidency denounced him as an "idealist;" and if that is all Mr. Baker wants, he has it in the White House now, according to the authorities of his own party. Perhaps, however, a "refreshed idealism" is of a different kind.

Camouflage.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

In the House, 155 Congressmen are for a referendum on the eighteenth amendment; 96 are against it, and 183 are noncommittal. "Noncommittal" is a nice long word for on-the-fence.

Left-Overs.

Boston Herald.

Through the medium of the League of Nations an equitable settlement has been reached in the Far East whereby China gets everything Japan didn't ask for.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Prominent Citizen Praises the Work Done by Visiting Nurses Through Aid of Funds Donated to the Community Chest.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The annual appeal for funds by the Community Chest of Washington is about to be made and I believe will meet with the same generous support it has received in the past.

The long list of fine, worthwhile organizations for which the appeal is made, and which the people of Washington so highly regard, is the best argument for the support of the Chest.

An outstanding illustration of this is the Instructive Visiting Nurse Society. My personal knowledge of this society, its efficient sympathetic officers and nurses, and the thorough, economical administration of its affairs has impressed me as to its real merits.

The sick and afflicted ones with insufficient means for the physician or hospital, find in their need the prompt helping hand and sympathetic encouragement of the Instructive Visiting Nurse.

The Community Chest has made it possible for this society to enlarge and extend its service to many in urgent need and distress who otherwise would have been without such relief.

The increasing demand for this service each year attests its popularity and even goes beyond the ability to serve the needy ones; so before even the appeal for funds is personally presented, kindly consider the Instructive Visiting Nurse Society.

WASHINGTON TOPHAM.

Commends The Post for the Editorial, "To Buttress America"—Contains Sound Advice for Congress.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The editorial which appeared in The Post of December 28, "To Buttress America," is one of the finest that I have seen in a long while. It sums up perfectly the predicament that Americans can put themselves in, or extract themselves from.

The most important paragraph, which clinches the splendid paragraphs that precede it, reads as follows: "No more loans to foreigners. No remission of debts. No lowering of the protective walls that shut out pauper goods and pauper immigants. Let the makers of war pay for their wars. America has been swindled by these warmakers to the extent of $40,000,000,000. Now let Congress utilize American wealth and resources for the benefit of Americans."

If Congress will just heed the splendid advice contained in this editorial the American people will not be again swindled. I hope The Post will keep up the good work and show up the foreign nations for what they are. C. C. PARSONS.

Just Criticisms Help Our System of Government, but Some Critics of President Hoover Are Unjust.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Honest and fearless criticism is the foundation upon which our republic stands. Without it, we would soon see the end of our system of government, which would be regrettable indeed.

Our present-day critics (born of the depression) fail to give President Hoover any justification for any thought or action.

The moratorium for Germany has been the subject of attack from many sides, and through the smoke screen of personal prejudice, a light appears. If the President had failed to act in that crisis, many a foreign government's financial structure would have collapsed, carrying with it the life savings of many foreign and native-born Americans. ROY SANCH.

Good Police Work in Handling Traffic During Christmas Rush.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: In regard to the letter in The Post of December 29, suggesting that traffic officers apprehend or warn motorists who drive over the white lines designating pedestrians' lanes, I wish to commend the police force for the efficient work done during the Christmas rush hours. Most of the downtown intersections are controlled by lights, yet during Christmas week officers were stationed at all these intersections for the purpose of controlling the flow of traffic and to see that pedestrians were permitted to cross the streets safely.

R. L. K.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

THE SALOON BUSINESS.

We took it from the corner where we saw it as a blot,
We thought the man who ran it was the lowest of the lot.
We took it from the highway with its ever swinging door,
And we put it in the parlor where it hadn't been before.

The old saloon we banished with its smell of gin and beer.
We did it for our children! Such a notion now seems queer!
For we're prancing through the parlor with the cocktails which we make
And we're passing round the bottle—as we say—for freedom's sake.

We voted prohibition to get rid of the saloon,
With its slot machine piano and its brassy, jangling tune,
But we've opened wide the parlor to a wide-eyed drinking crowd.
And I wonder can the children of their folks be very proud?

We took it from the corner as a den of vice and shame,
And we put it in the parlor—so we've but ourselves to blame.
Liquor's dangerous stuff to handle, for a profit or for fun,
In the parlor, on the corner, a saloon is hard to run.

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DR. S. N. GRAY HEADS ALEXANDRIA MASONS

Other Officers Are Chosen; Auto License Tags Go on Sale Next Week.

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Dr. S. Nelson Gray was chosen worshipful master of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons at the annual election of officers and communication of the lodge Monday night in the Masonic Temple. He succeeds E. J. Skidmore, under whom he served as senior warden.

Other officers are Dr. Robert South Barrett, senior warden; Roy M. Reeve, junior warden; J. Edward Shinn, treasurer, for the twentieth consecutive term; C. Page Waller, secretary, fourteenth consecutive term; C. C. Lamond, jr., senior deacon; S. C. Cross, junior deacon; A. Slater Lamond, senior steward; Dallas G. Wiley, junior steward; George W. Zachary, tiler, twenty-first consecutive term; the Rev. Percy Foster Hall, chaplain.

Dr. John Thornton Ashton, past worshipful master, installed the new officers.

Dr. Gray appointed J. Edward Shinn chairman of the banquet committee for the annual February 22 banquet.

Announcement was made yesterday that an order will be issued by the police department in a few days prohibiting angle parking in Washington street, on the 100 and 200 blocks South Washington street, and the 100 block north. Parallel parking only will be permitted in these three blocks, and in front of the new postoffice in the 200 block South Washington street, only 10-minute parking will be permitted.

Patrons of the new postoffice are complaining that there is only one entrance and exit to the building, on Washington street. While the building runs almost the entire length of the block in Prince street, persons from the downtown section of the city have to walk to the Washington street end of the building, and then to mail a letter have to go almost the entire length of the building to the mail chutes. The general complaint is the lack of an entrance in Prince street for the accommodation of the public.

Alexandria authorities have received 4,600 city license tags for automobiles to be placed on sale next week. The city tax is 20 cents per 100 pounds for pleasure cars, the rate on trucks being based on tonnage, and special fees for buses and trucks for hire.

Carpenter's Death Ruled Accidental

Colmar Manor, Md., Man Not Suicide, Coroner's Jury Decides.

A verdict that Wesley C. Mandanyohl met an accidental death by means of a shotgun was returned by a coronor's jury impaneled last night to investigate the case of the carpenter who was found dead in the garage of his home in Colmar Manor, Md., Monday night.

Constable Andrew Gasch told of the position of the body, doubled over the gun. The muzzle of the gun was on the ground and the stock on the running board of the car. A box of shells was clutched in the man's left hand. Dr. John T. Maloney, who pronounced him dead, testified that it was also impossible for a man who had killed himself to fall in such a position.

Three relatives of the dead man testified, although neither his widow nor two children were present. W. B. Francis, of Silver Spring, told of finding the body after the man had gone to the garage to bring in his gun. Milton R. Tiller, of 1418 Euclid street northwest, and Edward G. Dundan, of 511 E street northwest, said that Mandanyohl was cheerful and had no pressing debts. H. W. Andrews was foreman of the jury, which was impaneled by Judge Robert E. Joyce.

Span Bid May Be Let Today at Takoma Park

The Maryland State Roads Commission today is expected to award the contract for construction of the new triple span steel and concrete arch bridge over Sligo Creek, on Carroll avenue, in Takoma Park, Md. Construction of the bridge has been listed as part of the roads commission's winter unemployment relief program.

Bids were opened last week in Baltimore, when the low bid was that of Jarbo & Houghton, with a price of $39,637.27. The old bridge, which was too narrow for the heavy traffic on the road, is being torn down by the Forbes-Murphy Co., which made the low bid of $2,000. Traffic will be diverted north over Maple and Eries avenues and south over Flower and Sligo avenues while the bridge is being constructed.

January 5 Last Tax Day In Montgomery County

Preparation of lists of delinquent taxpayers in Montgomery County will be started January 5, J. Forest Walker, county treasurer, announced yesterday. Taxpayers can pay their taxes at the local county banks until January 5, he said. No etsimate of the amount of property which will be advertised for sale for nonpayment of taxes can be made until after January 5, Mr. Walker said.

Interest is due on the current year's taxes at the rate of 6 per cent annually or one-half of one per cent monthly, so that taxes will include a 2 per cent interest this month.

Council to Meet Today On Bicentennial Plans

The executive committee of the eveng at 6 o'clock in the Lyon Park Arlton County Bicentennial Council ll hold a dinner meeting this Comunity House. Guests will be mmers-elect to the new county boarthe newly selected county managertoy S. Braden, of Hopewell, Va., andommonwealth's Attorney-elect Lawnce Douglas.

T meeting has been called, accord to the president, Arthur Orr, to cuss plans for the celebration nexlear and to seek cooperation of the w board. The dinner will be pved and served by the members of t Lyon Park Woman's Club.

New Rockville Pike Planned To Open Tomorrow at Noon

If old Jupiter Pluvius doesn't step in with rain or snow meanwhile, little 1932 will be able to drive into Washington over a brand-new Rockville pike, according to Samuel C. McCeney, of the Maryland State Roads Commission. If it doesn't rain or snow before then, the pike will be opened to traffic tomorrow at noon.

The new surface of the pike is amiesite, and this will be dry enough for traffic by tomorrow noon if the elements do not interfere, Mr. McCeney said yesterday. Workmen have been engaged in spreading the surface of the last strip of the roadway for the past several days. The road now is 30 feet wide, having been widened from 21 feet to 30 by the addition of concrete shoulders, and extends from the East-West highway in Bethesda to the town limits of Rockville.

In addition to widening the road, the commission has eliminated and banked several bad curves and has cut down several bad humps in the road, notably the one at the junction with the old Georgetown highway, which previously hid approaching traffic on the old Georgetown road. All bridges have been widened to 50 feet. Traffic has been detoured over the old Georgetown road while the construction work was in progress.

OLD HORSE COMPANY IN FAIRFAX GATHERS

A. Harmon Roberts Again Is Elected President of Woodlawn Body.

The Woodlawn Horse Company, which was organized 66 years ago in Fairfax County, Va., held its annual meeting yesterday in the Woodlawn schoolhouse and elected A. Harmon Roberts president for the eleventh consecutive term. Other officers elected were Harvey Clapp, secretary, and Frank H. Wilkinson, treasurer.

The company was organized in the vicinity of the historic Mount Vernon estate, for the purpose of catching horse thieves and protecting the members' property from marauders. Its membership has been confined to families owning property in Mount Vernon District. The company played an important and historic part in the development of the district, although its purpose has, since the advent of the automobile and tractor, ceased to be as important as when the company was organized.

The present members of the association unanimously voted to build up the company during the coming year as an historical and social society by conducting a membership campaign, and by changing its by-laws so as to allow more than one member to each family. It was decided to climax the membership campaign in 1932 with a banquet at the next annual meeting, which will be held in Sherwood Hall, on the Washington-Richmond Highway, near the entrance to Fort Humphreys. J. P. H. Mason, the company's oldest member and secretary from 1900 to 1922, was present and told of the early days of the organization.

James U. Kincheloe, commissioner of revenue of Fairfax County, Va., has issued a warning to all engaged in business and professional life in the county, that the State law requires that licenses must be obtained by January 1. This law applies to lawyers, dentists, real estate operators, veterinarians, poolroom, hotel and lodging house keepers, venders, peddlers and other professional men. Doctors are not required to procure an annual license from the State. After February 1 a penalty of 10 per cent is added for nonpayment of the license fee.

Mr. Kincheloe states that beginning January 11, he or his deputies will visit all the merchants in the county and assist them in making up their books. The merchants' license tax in Virginia is based on the total amount of purchases in connection with their business during the preceding twelve months. All other fees are fixed on a flat rate basis. All applicants for licenses except merchants are required to apply at the office of the commissioner in Fairfax.

Herndon Council, Daughters of America, at Herndon, Va., celebrated its fifth anniversary with an official visitation of the State councilor, Mrs. Sophia Mann. A large number of visitors was present from the councils of Arlington and Fairfax Counties.

Officers for the ensuing term were elected at the meeting. Those selected were Mrs. Maude Doores, councilor; Mrs. Clara Duke, associate councilor; Mrs. Cora Hurst, vice councilor; Mrs. Herbert M. Powell, associate vice councilor; Mrs. Bessie Coleman, junior past councilor; Mrs. Iva Harrison, associate junior past councilor; Miss Mary Hurst, recording secretary; Mrs. Lula Kirkpatrick, financial secretary; Mrs. Ada Kirkpatrick, treasurer; Mrs. Lula Cooper, conductor; Mrs. Glenna Mae Siebold, warden; Mrs. Edna Farr, inside sentinel; Mrs. Stella Dailey, outside sentinel, and Miss Virgina McFarland, trustee for eighteen months and pianist. Mrs. Ruth Downs, Mrs. Glenna Mae Siebold and Mrs. Clara Holtzclaw were elected delegates to the State Council, with Mrs. Cora Hurst, Mrs. Emma Cockerille and Mrs. Lula Kirkpatrick as alternates.

Riverdale Women Aid 17 Families in Want

Since Thanksgiving, seventeen families in Riverdale have been aided by the Women's Club of that town, according to a report made at a recent meeting by Mrs. Herbert Roby, chairman of the committee in charge of welfare work. Club members and their friends took care of 20 families at Christmas, she said.

Aid given by the club consisted of food, clothing and fuel. Mrs. Roland Starr reported that the recent bazaar netted $60. Mrs. Frank R. Barclay, chairman of the membership committee, introduced four new members. They are Mrs. Alfred Manning, Mrs. Robert Frothingham, Mrs. Luther Munson and Mrs. William A. Turner. An appropriation of $25 for milk and phonograph records for the school was made.

Christmas Cup to Go To Mt. Pleasant Man

The silver cup given by the Electric League of Washington for the most attractive interior home decorating in the Mount Pleasant section during the Christmas season will go to William S. Hodges, 1707 Irving street northwest, it was announced yesterday. The presentation will be made Saturday.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Home, 1818 Newton street northwest, and Hamlin R. Cochran, 1842 Hobart street northwest, received honorable mention.

Creative Arts Club Tea Deferred.

The New Year tea to be given by the Arlington County Creative Arts Club at the home of Mrs. Nat Hynes has been postponed owing to the illness of Mrs. Hynes, it was announced last night.

CHICAGO RAIL WAGE PARLEY SET JAN. 14

Labor Leaders to Meet Two Days Earlier to Decide Upon Policy.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The Railway Labor Executives Association, comprising 21 brotherhoods and unions, today set January 14 as the date for meeting in Chicago with a committee of nine railroad presidents to discuss the unions' proposals for unemployment relief and the railroads proposed 15 per cent wage cut.

In addition, the railway labor heads decided to call the brotherhoods' 1,500 general chairmen on the various railroads to meet in Chicago January 12 in advance of the presidents' conference to determine upon a policy for the January 14 meeting.

Labor heads expect to have a representative committee from each involved labor organization participate in the conference with the railroad presidents.

This will include the 21 executives of the brotherhoods and subcommittees from each organization, bringing the total labor representation at the conference to approximately 200.

The conference here today was the latest step in the program initiated by the labor association to negotiate to a satisfactory conclusion the questions of wages and unemployment.

The railroad presidents appointed nine of their group, three each from the Eastern, Western and Southern railroads, as a committee empowered to meet the labor group on this ground, and selected Chicago as the place of meeting. The date, chosen today, was left to the labor representatives.

Twenty of the 21 members of the association were represented at the meeting here. Present also was Donald Richberg, Chicago, general counsel for the association.

Bootleggers Turn Traffic to Rivers

Lack of Boats for Dry Agents Boosts Baltimore-Capital Trade.

Activity of Federal dry agents in southern Maryland having disrupted the liquor traffic on land, bootleggers have taken to transporting contraband by water, it was disclosed by United States Commissioner J. Frank Parran at Marlboro.

One man, John Davis, of Trent Hall, already has been arrested and charged with possession of 160 gallons of alleged rye whisky found on the shore of the Patuxent River. From this cache the sixteen 10-gallon kegs were to be delivered by boat, Parran said. Davis was held for the Federal grand jury on bond of $500.

The agents, lacking a boat, are unable to cope with the stream of whisky which they say is running up and down both the Patuxent and Potomac Rivers. Both Washington and Baltimore can be reached in a few hours from the "rye area" of the peninsula, and many of the stills are on streams not far from navigable waters.

Identification Bureau To Be Expanded Soon

The identification bureau of the Montgomery County Police will be expanded when it moves into its new quarters in the old courthouse building at Rockville, Md. It will continue in charge of Theodore Vollten, who started the work in the bureau. The accomplishments of the bureau were commended by the November grand jury which recommended additional facilities.

The bureau will be equipped with modern facilities for taking fingerprints and photographs. The bureau is located in the Bethesda County building at present.

Today's Happenings

Luncheon—Lions Club, Mayflower Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Meeting—American Political Science Association, Mayflower Hotel, all day.

Meeting—American Sociological Society, Willard Hotel, all day.

Meeting—Executive Board American Women's Legion, Willard Hotel, 11 a. m.

Christmas party—Rotary Club, Willard Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Luncheon—District Bankers Association, Willard Hotel, 12:45 p. m.

Meeting—American Farm Economic Society, Willard Hotel, 2 p. m.

Election—Argo Lodge, Jewish Community Center, 8:15 p. m.

Luncheon—University of Missouri Alumni, University Club, 12:30 p. m.

Luncheon—Department of State, University Club, 12:30 p. m.

Dance—Duke University Club, Lee House, 10 p. m.

Meeting—Washington Philatelic Society, 1518 K street northwest, 8 p. m.

Cab Crash Victim asks $10,000.

Joseph D. McIvor, of Cleveland, Ohio, yesterday brought suit against the Black & White Taxi Co. and Ralph Snoots for $10,000 damages. Mr. McIvor was a passenger in a taxi last February when the cab collided with an automobile operated by Snoots near the Virginia end of the Highway bridge. Attorney Milton W. King filed the suit.

ARLINGTON'S BOARD TO CONVENE TODAY

Retiring Supervisors Will Conclude Business and Prepare to Quit.

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Meeting today at the courthouse, the county board of supervisors will wind up its official duties under the present form of government, which on Friday, will give way to the county manager plan.

There will be little for the board to do, other than approve the county payroll and current bills.

As the board concludes its meeting, the chairman, Edward Duncan, from Jefferson district, who has served on the board for the past 25 years, and who was defeated for the office of sheriff at the last election, will return to private life. Also retiring will be E. C. Turnburke, member of the board for the past eight years from Washington district. B. M. Hedrick, from Arlington district, who completes four years as a member of the board, will on Friday assume his new duties as pudge of the new county court.

Roy S. Braden, recently selected county manager, arrived in the county yesterday to prepare to take office on Friday.

This afternoon he, in company with County Engineer C. L. Kinnier, made a tour of the county to better acquaint himself with the county.

Judge-elect B. M. Hedrick, of the new county court, took the oath of office yesterday morning before Judge Walter T. McCarthy, in the Arlington County Circuit Court. The oath was read by County Clerk William H. Duncan.

Following the taking oath of office Judge Hedrick announced that he would be at the courthouse tomorrow morning, at which time he will announce the appointment of the associate judge and the bailiff. County Clerk Duncan, who is clerk of the Circuit Court, will also serve as clerk of the county court.

Commonwealth's Attorney William C. Gloth, who retires from office tomorrow after a term of eight years, will today move his offices from the courthouse to his former offices opposite the George H. Rucker Building, near the courthouse.

While Mr. Gloth has occupied two offices in the courthouse it is expected that but one will be available to his successor, Lawrence W. Douglas, until such time as the addition to the courthouse is made. The other room, it is understood, will be used by the county board. The present board of supervisors' room and where Police Court has been held will be used as the county courtroom.

Meeting at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth W. Magruder, member-elect to the new county board, last night, the board voted to come to the Arlington County Courthouse today at 12:30 o'clock to take the oath of office.

The board will hold its first official meeting Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the courthouse. At this meeting the board will perfect its organization with the appointment of the clerk to the board and other appointments necessary to carry on the affairs of the county under the new form of government.

Mrs. Hoover to Go To New York Fete

Will Be Guest of Honor at Anniversary Luncheon of Republican Women.

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Mrs. Herbert Hoover will be guest of honor of the Women's National Republican Club's eleventh anniversary luncheon at the Waldorf Astoria January 9, Mrs. Arthur L. Livermore, president, announced today.

Mrs. Livermore said Mrs. Hoover had accepted the invitation and would come to New York especially for the occasion. Speakers will be Arthur M. Hyde, Secretary of Agriculture; Seth W. Richardson, Assistant Attorney General, and Mrs. Worthington Scranton, Pennsylvania member of the Republican national committee.

In the evening, the club's annual dinner will be at the clubhouse. Members of the national council, including national committeewomen from each State, will be present.

MRS. SCARBOROUGH RITES.

World War Yeomanette to be Buried in Arlington This Morning.

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice W. Scarborough, wife of Milton E. Scarborough, who died at her home, 6901 Arlington road, Silver Spring, Md., will be conducted this morning at 10 o'clock from the residence. Burial will be in Arlington National Cemetery.

Mrs. Scarborough was a yeomanette in the World War, serving her enlistment in Washington. She was a member of the Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion. The husband, who is vice president of the Mayflower Art Co. of Washington, survives.

Bar Association Meeting Put Off.

Owing to a heavy docket in the Arlington County Circuit Court today, the meeting of the Bar Association which had been scheduled for today will be held tomorrow. The meeting will be held in the courtroom at 1 o'clock

Jury Brands Rail Tragedy Accident

Death of Pennsylvania Employe by Own Train Is Called 'Unavoidable.'

The death of Coke W. Smith, Pennsylvania Railroad baggage-master, who was killed by his own train, was due to an "unavoidable accident," according to the verdict of a coroner's jury returned early yesterday morning.

Smith, who had been ill and away from his work for several days, was killed when the Harrisburg express hit his auto at Glenn Dale, Md., late Monday night. This was the train to which he was assigned while working. No explanation for Smith's presence at the secluded village has been found, as his home is in Baltimore.

The jury, headed by R. H. Willett, absolved Engineer Samuel English and Conductor J. K. Alberts of all blame. The jury was impaneled by Judge John A. Downing shortly after the crash and rendered its verdict at once. The dead man is survived by the widow and six children.

GANDHI SEEKS TALK WITH WILLINGDON

Wishes Help in Reaching Peaceful Understanding on India Situation.

Bombay, India, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Mahatma Gandhi today sought a meeting with Viceroy Lord Willingdon to get his advice and help in reaching a peaceful understanding on India's troubled situation.

Apparently anxious to avoid a renewal of the conflict with the government over his demand for complete independence for India, the Nationalist leader sent the viceroy a telegram asking for the chance to see him.

Lord Willingdon is expected to receive him, because a renewal of the boycott of British goods would paralyze the country's business.

See Gandhi on Committee.

Some of Gandhi's followers said they would not be surprised if ultimately he accepted membership on one of the committees appointed by the British government to carry on the work of evolving a new constitution for an all-Indian federation from the point where the recent round-table conference in London left off. In any event the fight is not expected to be renewed until the Indian congress meets in March.

Since his return to India, Gandhi has shown signs of being impressed by the appeals of influential business men, who told him a repetition of the struggle would only destroy what little trade India has left.

Provincial leaders have reported that only a part of the 50,000 nationalists who went to jail during the last struggle were ready to undergo another such ordeal. The mahatma also is aware that the government has strengthened and consolidated its forces.

Import of His Telegram.

Gandhi's telegram to the viceroy asked whether the recent ordinances, giving the government emergency powers against subversive acts and terrorism, meant ar end to peaceful relations between the government and the congress party.

The ordinances, which apply to Bengal, the united provinces and the northwest frontier province, permit death or exile for life as punishment for political murder and other acts against the crown, and provide that arrests may be made without warrant, troops may be called to aid the police and citizens may be drafted to maintain order.

Peshawar, India, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Anti-British "red-shirt" tribesmen continued to offer themselves for arrest today and 92 were taken into custody in Peshawar.

Thirty-two volunteers were arrested at Bannu and some at Kohat, bringing the total arrested in the northwest frontier province in recent days to 1,128. Of these, 259 have been convicted and 37 released after an apology.

Citizens Association Gives Christmas Party

The annual Christmas reception of the Logan Circle-Thomas Circle Citizens Association was held last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. DuComb, 1213 O street northwest. A big percentage of the members of the association was in attendance.

Only a few minutes of the gathering were devoted to business. Then games, music, recitations and refreshments became the order of the evening.

Man Freed of Robbing Policeman.

A jury in the corporation court in Alexandria after deliberating an hour and 40 minutes, returned a verdict of not guilty in the case of John Smith, alias Othello Washington, colored, a resident of Washington, on a charge of taking a pistol and night stick from Policeman Russell Hawes on October 20 last.

Car and Truck Crash in Alexandria.

The truck of A. L. Rubin, 1222 King street, Alexandria, and the automobile of D. S. Rothenburg, of 1818 East Broad street, Richmond, were in collision yesterday morning at King and Washington streets. The radiator of the car was crushed and the alcohol in it caught fire. The fire department extinguished the blaze

DANIELS LIKENS 1932 TO ELECTION OF 1912

Urges Democrats to Choose Candidate of Liberal and Progressive Views.

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—A 1932 presidential candidate, who embodies liberal and progressive views and has "no vestige of standpatism or pink Republicanism" was urged upon the Democratic party today by Josephus Daniels.

"For," said the Secretary of the Navy in the Wilson administration, "the situation next year will be not unlike that of 1912. Now, as then, the people are going to elect a President who embodies liberal and progressive views.

"If, in 1912, the Democrats had nominated what is called a conservative—a misnomer for a reactionary—Roosevelt would have won. But the Democrats picked Wilson, a great progressive, and they won.

"No one who is known as a 'standpatter,' or who acquiesces in 'standpatism,' can win in 1932. Nor can we win with a 'pink Republican,' which is another name for reactionary Democrat.

Weighed and Found Wanting.

"The people are on the march; they see conditions are bad; they demand a change. The party in power, by allowing 6,000,000 men to go without jobs, has, in the words of the Scriptures, been weighed and found wanting.

"The Republicans next year will have no more of a chance than did that great and good man, Taft, in 1912. It seems that the only question left for the Democrats to decide is the identity of their candidate."

And there Mr. Daniels stopped. He was unwilling, at the moment, to venture a prediction as to who would be nominated, but—

"The Democratic party is fortunate in having available candidates who meet the specifications and who incarnate progressive principles. Particular, we have Franklin D. Roosevelt, of New York, and Newton D. Baker, of Ohio."

Describing President Hoover as a man whom "the people respect and like," Mr. Daniels none the less sharply criticized the President for what he called delaying positive action to relieve economic conditions.

Bryan Memorial Contract.

Mr. Daniels, president of the Federal Fine Arts Commission, announced today the contract for the William Jennings Bryan Memorial to be erected in Washington, will be awarded Thursday.

Daniels was here to inspect the statue of former Gov. Aycock, North Carolina's famous "educational governor," which will be presented to Congress for National Statuary Hall probably on May 20.

He expects to leave tomorrow night or Wednesday for Washington and the Fine Arts Commission meeting. The Bryan Memorial, authorized by Congress a year ago, will be placed on a public square in the Capital, the commission to select the location.

Mothers' Club Aim Of Charity Society

Christ Child Body to Make Plans for Organization at Social Tonight.

Plans for organization of a mothers' club of the Christ Child Society will be discussed at a social given by the society tonight at 8 o'clock at the settlement, 800 East Capitol street, for more than 25 mothers of children who attend the settlement classes, it was announced yesterday by Miss Mary V. Merrick, president of the society. The club will probably meet monthly to become more acquainted with the settlement work.

The social for mothers given tonight is a part of the holiday program of the society. Entertainment will be furnished and refreshments served.

The Christ Child Society was responsible for the gathering and distribution of more than 2,000 toys to the poor children of the city this Christmas season. During the last two weeks, approximately 350 youngsters were entertained and presented gifts, including sweaters, at the Christ Child settlements. The society is an agency of the Community Chest.

Sherwood, Walker Aid, Fined $50,000

Draws Half of Maximum Fine for Contempt in Ignoring Subpena.

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—A $50,000 penalty—half of the maximum provided by law—was imposed today upon Russell T. Sherwood, described as Mayor Walker's personal accountant, for contempt of court in failing to answer a subpena to testify before the Hofstadter legislative committee.

Without rendering an opinion, Supreme Court Justice Thomas W. Churchill fined the missing Sherwood, whom he held in contempt of the committee which has sought for months to make him come back and talk about a safe deposit box he held in common with the mayor.

Samuel Seabury, counsel to the legislative committee, who demanded the maximum penalty, has charged that Mayor Walker has kept Sherwood away.

Rotary Yule Party is Today.

In place of the weekly Rotary meeting and luncheon at the Willard today there will be a Christmas party which will be attended by the wives and children of Rotarians. There will be toys for the children and Santa Claus will be a special guest of the Rotarian children during this meeting. A musical program will also be a feature.

Band Concert

SYMPHONY CONCERT OF U. S. MARINE ORCHESTRA.
At the Auditorium, Marine Barracks, at 8 p. m.

"Symphony in D Minor".....Franck
Allegro.
Allegretto.
Allegro Finale."
"Concerto for Violin and Orchestra in G Minor," opus 26.....Bruch
Allegro Moderato.
Andagio.
Finale-Allegro energico.
Soloist, Musician Herman R. Hoffman.
Overture, "Russian and Ludmilla".....Glinka
Scherzo, "La Poule".....Bolzoni
Prelude to Act III and "Dance of the Apprentices," from "Die Meistersinger."
.....Wagner
Marines' hymn, "The Halls of Montezuma."
"The Star-Spangled Banner."

Mother Reveals Sadie Read Wed 'Phil' Pepper Last Fall

Kept a secret for several months, the marriage of Mrs. Ann Mason Achelis, of Washington, to John Philip Pepper, formerly of this city, has just been revealed. Announcement cards have been issued by the bride's mother, Mrs. Mason Barksdale Read, of Georgetown.

Mr. Pepper and Mrs. Achelis eloped to Greenwich, Conn., October 30. They will reside in New York, being at home after the first of the year at 339 East Fifty-eighth street.

Mrs. Pepper, as Sadie Read, was reared in Washington, and, having long aspired to a career in the theatrical world, abandoned society for the stage, using the name of Ann Mason. She appeared in several successful plays in New York, after getting a start in stock companies, and was widely known to the theater-going public.

While on the stage, she met and married Mr. Achelis, an actor, and shortly after gave up her theatrical career, going with her husband to Florence, Italy, to live. He died there two years ago. After visiting her mother in Washington in the early fall, she made plans to return to Florence, but changed her mind at the last minute to marry "Phil" Pepper.

Mr. Pepper was divorced a year ago by Teresa Crosson, daughter of Dr. H. J. Crosson, of Washington. After obtaining her decree in Reno, she returned to Washington to reside. Her sister, the former Margaret Crosson, married Donald Wiley, formerly of Washington, and is living in Toledo, where her husband is connected with the Toledo Times.

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STATIONERY AISLE 2 FIRST FLOOR

SOCIETY

Mrs. Hoover and White House Party Grace Holiday Service Ball, Function Proving Most Brilliant Dance of Season.

MRS. HOOVER, accompanied by the young people of her family and house party, and Vice President Curtis and Mrs. Gann, who attended the holiday ball of the United Services, Army, Navy and Marine Corps, at the Willard last night, made that function stand out as the most brilliant ball of this year.

The Vice President and his party arrived at 10:15 o'clock and were received and escorted to his box by Gen. Horton, Gen. Glassford and their aids. Mrs. Hoover arrived at 10:30 and was similarly received and escorted to her box with her little party, after greeting those in the receiving line.

Mrs. Hoover was accompanied by her two sons and her daughter-in-law, Mr. Allan Hoover and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hoover, jr.; Mrs. Butler, a secretary, and Col. Hodges, military aid to the President. Gen. Horton escorted Mrs. Hoover through the receiving line and to her box, and the others followed, escorted by other members of Gen. Horton's committee. Mrs. Hoover wore a trailing gown of gun metal lame, studded with tiny crystal beads. A tiny chain with pearl ornaments was about her neck. Mrs. Hoover, jr., wore midnight blue velvet, and Mrs. Butler was in blue satin.

Mrs. Gann was a stunning figure in garnet velvet, with diamond earrings and pendant.

Gen. Horton directed the cadets and midshipmen in dancing the Paul Jones. The dance was presented directly in front of the boxes occupied by the presidential and vice presidential parties. A prize offered to the best couple was awarded to Miss Voila Drury, of Washington, and Cadet Theodore G. Bilbo, jr., son of the Governor of Mississippi.

Many of the young people who danced last night at the United Services ball will be guests at the White House tonight when Mr. Allan Hoover will be host to several hundred young people at a dance. The guests will be from the Cabinet, Diplomatic, Army, Navy and smart resident circles of Washington society.

The ballroom was beautiful with its festive decorations mainly of flags. The boxes had a background of huge American flags spread behind each one, and over them were the flags of various branches of the services of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps. Over the main box, which was occupied by Mrs. Hoover and her party, was the President's flag, and over that occupied by the Vice President and his party was the Vice President's flag. Then the flags of the Secretary of War, Secretary of the Navy, Chief of Staff, Chief of Naval Operations, and all the branches of those services were over the boxes occupied by the heads of such services. The Army Band, Navy Band and Marine Band alternated for the dancing.

Receiving the guests were the Secretary of War and Mrs. Patrick J. Hurley; Mrs. Charles Francis Adams, without Secretary Adams, who is ill and was unable to be present; the Chief of Naval Operations, Rear Admiral William V. Pratt and Mrs. Pratt; and the Maj. Gen. Commandant of the Marine Corps and Mrs. Ben H. Fuller.

Mrs. Hurley Attired In Deep Pink Velvet.

Mrs. Hurley wore a gown of deep pink velvet, cut on diagonal lines, with diamond shaped pieces of shirring in the skirt. Mrs. Adams wore a frock of turquoise blue chiffon trimmed with bands of brilliants. Mrs. Pratt was gowned in black chiffon, cut formally, with a low neckline in front and back, close-fitting, and made on diagonal lines, following the dictates of Vionnet. Mrs. Fuller wore a frock of green satin, made simply, on long lines and trimmed around the waist with white camelias.

Supper was served at midnight in the Willard room and the crystal room on the first floor of the Willard. The dancing continued until nearly daybreak.

This is the first time such a ball has been given as a subscription affair and its success was gratifying, under the executive chairmanship of Mrs. Wahl, widow of Gen. Lutz Wahl. She had assistance from Mrs. William D. Connor, Mrs. Harry G. Bishop, Mrs. Ralph P. Craft, Mrs. Ray Spear, Mrs. Hugh Matthews, Mrs. Stephen O. Fuqua, Mrs. James McKinley and Capt. Paul E. Leiber. The special sponsors for the ball were Mrs. MacArthur, mother of the chief of staff, U. S. A.; Mrs. William V. Pratt, wife of the chief of naval operations, and Mrs. B. H. Fuller, wife of the major general commandant of the Marine Corps. Gen. William E. Horton was chairman of the floor committee and Gen. Glassford, chief of police, was master of ceremonies.

Dinner Is Given By Gen. and Mrs. Fuller.

Mrs. Adams and Admiral and Mrs. Pratt were dinner guests beforehand of Gen. and Mrs. Fuller, who also had as their guests Rear Admiral and Mrs. Thomas C. Hart, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Rufus H. Lane, Col. John C. Beaumont, Capt. Lester Dessez and Mrs. Chester Fordney.

The commandant of the Army War College and Mrs. William D. Connor, who entertained before the ball for the Vice President, Mr. Charles Curtis, had in their box Senator and Mrs. Morris Sheppard, Mrs. Henry Alvah Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Payton Wilson, Mr. C. Bascom Slemp, Dr. Stanley Hornbeck and several others.

The commanding general of the Third Area Corps, U. S. A., and Mrs. Paul B. Malone, and the Chief of Ordnance and Mrs. Samuel Hof were the guests of honor at a dinner given preceding the ball by Col. and Mrs. Harry B. Jordan, who entertained at their residence in Georgetown.

A group of young people assembled at the home of Mrs. Herbert Sparrow for the dinner given by her son, Cadet Herbert Sparrow, class of '33, West Point, preceding the fete. His guests were Miss Julia Harris, Miss Anne Totten, Miss Priscilla Totten, Miss Priscilla Wrightson, Miss Sue Meade, Cadet Fuqua, Cadet King, Cadet Tubbs and Cadet Meade.

Mrs. Wahl and Mrs. Field Joint Dinner Hostesses.

Mrs. Lutz Wahl and Mrs. James G. Field entertained jointly at a dinner preceding the ball for Miss Martha Morrow, who is here for the holidays from Wellesley College, and Miss Marjorie Smith, of New York. The guests included many of the debutantes of the season and the twelve midshipmen and cadets who were the aids at the ball. The young men chosen to serve on the aid committee were Cadets J. P. McConnell, Andrew Hero 3d, George R. Mather, W. R. Smith, E. T. Davis, John C. Steele, George R. Grunert and Herbert B. Thatcher, and Midshipmen Lynn T. Elliott, Francis E. Nuessle, Samuel P. Moncure, George E. Pierce, Philip C. Holt, Richard S. Craighill, William I. Bull and Dunbar G. Burdick.

Mrs. Jacob Leander Looss entertained a dinner company at the Mayflower later taking her guests to the ball. The guests included the Nicaragua Minister and Señora de Sacassa, the Minister of the Union of South Africa and Mrs. Eric Louw, the Bolivian Minister and Senora de Abelli, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Mark L. Bristol, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Dion Williams, Col. and Mrs. Harry N. Cootes, Capt. and Mrs. Frank D. Berrien, Mr. and Mrs. Wade H. Ellis and Brig. Gen. William E. Horton.

Miss Mary Elizabeth MacArthur was chairman of the girls' committee for the fete, with Miss Carolyn Payne, Miss Adelaide Townsend Jahncke and Miss Fenella Castanedo as vice chairmen.

Others serving on the committee were Miss Alison McDaniel, Miss Olga Craven, Miss Clifford Watson, Miss Kate Hyde Scully, Miss Elizabeth Brainard, Miss Elsie Tuckerman, Miss Betsy Berrien, Miss Polly Larimer, Miss Isabel Hart, Miss Betty Peelle, Miss Elizabeth Shouse, Miss Jane Thorpe, Miss Louise Harrison Gwynn, Miss Frances Mathews, Miss Pansy Bloomer, Miss Anne Wyant and Miss Marbury Beall.

Gen. Glassford, Washington's popular chief of police, was master of ceremonies for the ball. He has acted as master of ceremonies at many social functions dating back to his days at West Point.

Mrs. Charles J. Williamson Entertains Notables.

Mrs. Edward Everett Gann was the guest for whom Mrs. Charles J. Williamson entertained at luncheon yesterday. Other guests were: Mrs. James J. Davis, Mrs. Thomas P. Gore, Mrs. William E. Hull, Mrs. Louis T. McFadden, Mrs. Adam M. Wyant, Mrs. E. L. Austin, Mrs. Thaddeus H. Brown, Mrs. Moncure Burke, Mrs. Carl Buschheiser, of New York; Mrs. Hoggatt Clopton, Mrs. Charles A. Douglas, Mrs. Nathaniel B. Dial, Mrs. Frisbie Elker, Mrs. A. H. Frear, Mrs. Strickland Gillilan, Mrs. A. Gaburri, Mrs. Peyton Gordon, Mrs. Warren J. Haines, Mrs. Harry E. Hull, Mrs. S. L. Hoover, Mrs. E. J. Henning, of New York; Mrs. Rush Holland, Mrs. Thomas W. Hammond, Mrs. Edward A. Keys, Mrs. Marshall Leighton, Mrs. David Meade Lea, Mrs. Paul Myron Linebarger, Mrs. Arthur MacArthur, Mrs. Royal T. McKenna, Mrs. James R. Mann, Mrs. John Marshall, Mrs. James T. Morris, Mrs. Gardiner Orme, Mrs. H. S. Perry, Mrs. W. A. Phillips, Mrs. Charles G. Roberts, Mrs. James Y. Strong, Mrs. C. Augustus Simpson, Mrs. Alfred Pembroke Thom, Mrs. Merle Thorpe, Mrs. Ernest VanFossan, Mrs. Alvin Voris, Mrs. Absalom Waller, Mrs. Leland Dotson Webb, Mrs. Eugene Woodson, Miss Gretchen Heyd, of Toronto, house guest of Senator and Mrs. Davis; Miss Margaret Gage, Miss Edna Patton, Miss Janet Richards, Miss Mary Rosebrough, of Buffalo, and Mrs. Helen Ray Hagner.

The Minister of Nicaragua and Senora de Sacasa and their daughter, Senorita Maria Sacasa, have issued cards for an at-home on Sunday from 4 until 6 o'clock in the new legation at 1711 New Hampshire avenue.

Harris B. Hull, son of the Commissioner General of Immigration and Mrs. Harry E. Hull, entertained at a small dinner last night in honor of his cousin, Miss Dorothy Albert, and Mr. Howard James Curtis whose engagement was recently announced. Following dinner the company attended the Holiday Ball of the United Services at the Willard.

Representative and Mrs. Richard Aldrich entertained a company of young people at dinner, followed by dancing, last evening at Grasslands for Miss Janet White, a debutante of the season. Additional guests were invited for the dance. The club was decorated with Christmas greens, branches of holly, evergreen, mistletoe and poinsettia, forming an effective background for the fete.

Several dinners preceded the party, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Benning Spencer being among the hosts, entertaining for their daughter, Miss Louise Spencer.

Diplomats Are Invited To Newswriters' Dinner.

The State Department Correspondents Association has cabled Ambassador Dawes, in London, extending an invitation to attend their dinner for the Secretary of State, January 16. The dinner will be held at the Mayflower Hotel.

Those who have so far accepted invitations include the French Ambassador, the Japanese Ambassador, the Mexican Ambassador, the Turkish Ambassador, the Chilean Ambassador, the Minister of the Irish Free State, the Minister of Union of South Africa, the Minister of the Dominican Republic, the Minister of Bolivia, the Minister of China, the Minister of Nicaragua, the Minister of Haiti, Charge d'Affaires of Costa Rica, the Secretary of War, the Undersecretary of State Castle and the Assistant Secretaries Carr, Rogers and Bundy.

Mrs. James F. Curtis has leased her home at 1925 F street to Representative Ruth Baker Pratt for the winter.

Mrs. Curtis is now making her home at 1911 F street, another of her homes not far from that which Mrs. Pratt will occupy.

The Bishop of Washington and Mrs. James E. Freeman will not receive on New Year's Day because of the recent illness of Mrs. Freeman.

Mrs. Joseph E. Washington gave a reception at her home yesterday afternoon introducing her granddaughter, Miss Mary Washington Hotchkiss, the debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Stuart Hotchkiss, of New Haven, Conn.

The reception rooms and dining room were artistically decorated with Christmas greens and flowers.

Mrs. Washington, Miss Hotchkiss, Miss Pansy Bloomer and Mrs. H. Stuart Hotchkiss received the guests.

Officiating at the tea table were Mrs. Patrick J. Hurley, wife of the Secretary of War; Mrs. Robert P. Lamont, wife of the Secretary of Commerce; Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman, Mrs. Creswell Garlington, Mrs. Edward A. Harriman, Mrs. Francis M. Savage, Mrs. Charles Mason Remey, Mrs. Charles H. Bradley, Mrs. Ralph Worthington, Miss Caroline Nash, Mrs. Lindsay Russell, Mrs. Samuel F. Beach and Mrs. Randolph Leigh.

The debutante wore a gown of rose and silver lace and was assisted by a group of debutantes: Miss Elsie Tuckerman, Miss Sally Harrison, Miss Christine Eckengren, Miss Elizabeth Shouse, Miss Jane Thorpe, Miss Catherine Poe, Miss Charlotte Mayo, Miss Betty Berrien, Miss Rose Page and Miss Kate Scully, also by Miss Helen Lee Washington and Miss Mary Bradley.

Mrs. Phillips Clarke will present her daughter, Miss Mae Harris Clarke, to her friends in Washington at a tea dance to be given today at the Mayflower. They will receive their guests in the Chinese room and there will be dancing in the grand ballroom, the east end being reserved for the tea table which will be decorated with pink roses.

The debutante will wear a dress of white chiffon embroidered with threads of silver and having an iridescent ribbon girdle shading from a delicate pink to a deep yellow. She will carry an old-fashioned corsage bouquet of delphenium, lillies of the valley and roses in the same shades as those of her girdle.

Assisting her will be Miss Helen Louise Duckett, Miss Josephine Duckett, Miss Dorothy Dodge, Miss Elizabeth Henning, Miss Dorothy Nicholson, Miss Jean Woodson, Miss Atlee Wirgman, Miss Sidney Thompson and Miss Ruth Tuckerman.

Mrs. Clarke's assistants will be her daughter, Mrs. James Webb Rogers, and her sister, Miss A. Mae Rogers; also Mrs. H. J. Crosson, Mrs. T. Howard Duckett, Mrs. Harold A. Dodge, Mrs. E. Alexander Powell, Mrs. Edward B. Clark, Mrs. Robert Nelson Anderson, Mrs. Ernest Daniel, Mrs. William Laird Dunlop, jr., Mrs. Richard Zantzinger, Mrs. Ashton Devereux, Mrs. Joseph S. Rogers, Mrs. James Charles Rogers, Mrs. James Willett, Miss Evelyn Howe, Mrs. Worthington Frailey, Mrs. John Kent and Mrs. Helen Gatley Martin. Mrs. Clarke will wear black lace and her bouquet will be white roses and blue delphenium.

Maj. and Mrs. Allen R. Kimball, of Bala-Cynwyd, Pa., are stopping at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Laidler Mackall will be hosts at a tea dance this afternoon at the Mayflower for their daughter, Miss Mary Bruce Mackall, who is at home from Goucher for the holidays.

Miss Gertrude Robert, of Hanover, Pa., a classmate of Miss Mackall's at Goucher, and Miss Millicent Wood, of New York City, will be present.

Mrs. Betty F. Place entertained Monday afternoon, the parents of her younger pupils, in her home, to hear them give a program of piano numbers. The young artists were Frances and Jean Defandorff, granddaughters of Gen. Defandorff; Geneale Laffin and Eileen Kohout.

Mrs. Robert Daniels, wife of Maj. Daniels will entertain at luncheon tomorrow at her home.

The Alpha Theta Chi entertained at the dinner dance at the Shoreham last night. The officers of this sorority are Miss Mary Cook Macatee, president; Miss Frances Wilson, vice president; Miss Helen Temple, treasurer and Miss Eleanor Redman, secretary.

Leader in Utah Society Ball

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MISS HUNTINGTON LOOFBOUROW, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Frederick C. Loofbourow, of Salt Lake City, chairman of the sponsors' committee for the annual Christmas ball of the Utah State Society tonight at the Kennedy-Warren and who has done much toward the success of the ball.

Crosby Tea Today For Two Debutantes.

Miss Jane Crosby, daughter of the Commissioner of the District and Mrs. Herbert Crosby, will entertain at a tea this afternoon at the Mayflower, for two of the season's debutantes, Miss Sarah Carey and Miss Margaret Gibbons.

Mrs. Otto Sutro and her daughters, the Misses Rose and Ottelie Sutro, are in Atlantic City for the winter.

Miss Leslie Wright Presented to Society.

Mrs. Hamilton Wright entertained at a tea yesterday afternoon from 5 until 7 o'clock in her home at 2005 Massachusetts avenue, when she presented her daughter, Miss Leslie Wright, to society.

Alternating at the tea table were Mrs. William Howard Taft, Mrs. Pierece Butler, Mrs. James M. Beck, Mrs. Mark L. Bristol, Mrs. Walter Tuckerman, Mrs. Horace Lee Washington, Mrs. Henry Field, of Chicago, and Miss Rosalind Wright.

Assisting the debutante were Miss Elsie Tuckerman, Miss Christine Ekengren and Miss Barbara Wright.

Helen and Josephine Duckett Presented at Tea Dance.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Howard Duckett were hosts at a tea dance yesterday afternon at the Mayflower when they presented their daughters, Miss Helen Louise Duckett and Miss Josephine Duckett, to their friends in Washington.

Assisting the debutantes were Miss Mary Elizabeth King, of Greensboro, N. C., classmate of Miss Helen Louise Duckett at Randolph Macon Woman's College; Miss Lucille Elliott, Miss Mary Stuart, Miss Frances Brooks, Miss Dorothy Nicholson, Miss Mae Harris Clarke; also Miss Julia Yates, Miss Clover Du Val, of Baltimore, and Miss Alice Carter Bowie, the latter three classmates of Miss Josephine Duckett at the Misses Eastman's School.

The debutantes were dressed alike in gowns of ivory satin made on princess lines with very full skirts and puffed sleeves. They carried old-fashioned bouquets of American beauty roses.

Mrs. Duckett wore an evening gown of green satin and her flowers were gardenias and violets.

Her assistants were Mrs. Phillips Clarke, Mrs. Robert B. Morse, Mrs. Thomas B. Symons, Miss Annie Eastman, Mrs. Brooke Lee, Mrs. Ashton Devereux, Mrs. Richard Zantzinger, Mrs. W. Booth Bowie, Mrs. Clarence Roberts and Mrs. G. Sherman James.

Approximately 350 guests from Washington and nearby Maryland were entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Duckett gave a buffet supper after the party for the girls assisting the debutantes and their escorts.

Mrs. Deming Jarves and Capt. and Mrs. John P. Jackson were at the Bellevue-Stratford, in Philadelphia, for the week-end.

Admiral and Mrs. W. H. H. Southerland had a few friends lunching with them yesterday at the Carlton.

Miss Charlotte Lee Honored With Dance.

Mrs. Rust-Smith and Mrs. Wentworth Peirce entertained at a dinner dance last night for their granddaughter and daughter, Miss Elizabeth Peirce, and in honor of Miss Charlotte Lee of Sweetbriar, Va.

Their guests included Miss Margaret Clark, Miss Dorothy Graham, Miss Margaret Hill, Miss Marianna Hill, Miss Ruth Howe, Miss Katherine Mitchell, Miss Eleanor Peirce, Miss Jane Esther Platt, Miss Alice Richardson, Miss Caroline Rust, Miss Elizabeth Rust, Miss Janet Shares, Miss Lois Webb, Mr. William Abell, Mr. Enoch Chase, Mr. Norman Chase, Mr. Thomas Davis, Mr. Stephen Elkins, Mr. James Keith, Mr. Francis Keyes, Mr. Henry Greenaway, Mr. Stanley Huntington, Mr. Henry Lee, Mr. Paul, Mr. Wentworth Peirce, Mr. John Pendleton, Mr. Henry Pike, Mr. Austin Powell, Mr. Thomas Powell, Mr. Overton Price, Mr. William Rust, Mr. Philip Schwarz, Mr. Fritz Schouse, Mr. Taylor Simmons, Mr. David Blackwell Smith, Mr. Harry Lee Smith, Mr. Edward Snowdon, Mr. Frederick True.

Palestine Is Subject Of Diplomatic Salon.

"Palestine" will be presented at the Diplomatic Sunday Evening Salon of the Bureau of Commercial Economics on Sunday in the West ball room of the Shoreham Hotel at 9 o'clock.

The internationally known author, editor and traveler, Mr. Jacob De Hass, will show views of Palestine that he has made on his numerous trips there. Oriental music will accompany the pictures. Mr. De Hass was secretary of the Palestine Development League and the Zionist Committee.

A buffet supper will be served at the reception which is held following the presentation of the program.

The debutante ushers will be Miss Carolyn Shulz, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Edward Shulz; Miss Marie Louise Watson, daughter of Gen. and Mrs. Joel Watson; Miss Josephine Lee, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Harry Lee; Miss Frances Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brooks, and Miss Margaret Morningstar.

Christmas Celebrated By Hotel Guests.

Last year a group of guests of the Hotel Roosevelt had a get-together dinner, in order that no one away from their families should be lonely on Christmas Eve. This year a similar dinner was requested, which proved to be a delightful occasion, when over 150 residents and guests of the hotel joined in a family celebration. They assembled in the reception room, where they were received by Mrs. Lynn Sizer, representing the management; Mrs. Richard E. Claughton, the old-time residents; Mrs. Albert Vestal, the congressional group, and Mrs. John B. Brothers, the newcomers.

The banquet tables were arranged in the main dining room with a lighted Christmas tree in the center of the head table, the others being

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HOW TO KEEP WELL

By DR. W. A. EVANS

DEMENTIA.

A CORRESPONDENT asked for an article on dementia. Her especial interest is in the dementia of elderly people, as it affects their will-making powers.

No other law is so simple as that which relates to ability to write a legal will. In brief, it is that a will is legal if it is shown that the testator knew what he had to give and to whom he wanted to give it, and if he knew what he was doing when he made the will. The legal principle involved is that the valuables being willed are the property of the individual willing them, and he has the right to give them, after his death, to whomever he pleases, just as he has the right to give them during life. Of course, some whiskers have grown on this principle, just as they have grown elsewhere, but, relatively speaking, they are few in number. Questions of justice are not often involved in wills, nor does consideration of testamentary capacity go below the surface.

If the matter of testamentary capacity were comprehensively considered it would be found that few men who draw wills are capable of evaluating motives and doing full justice at the time the will was written.

We refer to failure of brain power, when it passes a certain point, as dementia. If it develops in elderly people, as the result of the wear of life, we call it senile dementia. There is a form of mental disturbance which develops in people who are not old enough to be senile, and who are not senile in their eyes, joints, muscles and other organs but who are senile mentally. It is called presenile dementia. There is the dementia of still earlier years, that goes by the name of dementia precox. Toward the end of long continued insanity of any kind, dementia is prone to develop as a phase, or even part of the main brain disease. There is a form of dementia which develops in the course of arteriosclerosis of the brain. Two U. S. Cabinet officers, Secretaries Blaine and Sherman, had that.

One of the first symptoms of senile dementia is an inability to call the names of people well known to the person. So far is this in advance of other symptoms that most people pass away from natural causes before any other symptom appears. Another before-the-dawn symptom is a failure of memory as to recent events and contacts. Symptoms which come later are: Loss of inventiveness, originality and interest, and listlessness. Then come emotionalism, inability to fathom motives, and decadence of judgment. The person in this stage is quite capable of making a legal will, but entirely incapable of making a just one. He has neither the money, the emotional stability, the ability to weigh values, to fathom motives, nor to understand personalities that are required for well-balanced decisions.

Then comes the stage of dropping to sleep and mental heaviness which is largely responsible for the name, dementia. From the will-making standpoint, people in this stage are borderline. Some of the wills they write are legal. Some are not.

Finally, the stage of dementia, or mindlessness, is reached—the stage of sans everything.

BONE CYSTS.

D. A. C. writes:

1. What is a bone cyst?

2. Is there danger of tuberculosis of bone or malignant trouble?

3. Would it go to any other part of the body?

REPLY.

1. A cyst located in the bone. Some cases formerly diagnosed as bone cysts are a bone disease in which the bones become spongy.

2. No. Bone cysts are not related to either tuberculosis or cancer.

3. To no other parts except bone.

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Jane Corbett INTERPRETS the MODE

Exquisite black velvet evening gown with Irish lace collar in back only, and unusual front.

New York, Dec. 29.

ARE you all ready for that New Year's Eve party tomorrow night, mentally and physically—especially the latter? It's a little habit of women the world over to wear their smartest and gayest frocks on this occasion, but a not altogether wise one. The point is to wear an evening ensemble that will be as lovely at the end of the gorgeous evening, along about six o'clock in the morning or so really, as it was when the evening started. Of course the way to do this is to avoid fripperies as though they were poison!

Let's take an evening ensemble bit by bit, my deahs, and see what's the best, as well as the most fashionable choice. Evening gowns right now are, in general, ideal. They are of beautiful fabrics, not too fragile, and made in conservative, becoming ways to enhance the beauty of their wearers and to let their own charm and grace shine out unmarred by gadgets! A frock of velvet, heavy satin or supple lame (lah-may) are all good choices both for their wearability, their importance in the mode at the moment, and their lack of dependence on ruffles and whatnots for decoration. And the new instep length is another point in their favor—now they're short enough to be as graceful as ever.

Beware of the new trailing evening wraps for this one night, lest the part that trails becomes sadly bedraggled. And see that your wrap is heavy enough for genuine protection—for who knows where one will go on a night like this?

And, watch tomorrow if you would like to see a sketch of the party outfit Dah-ray herself is going to wear!

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There are famous beauties who, if the truth must be told (which they seldom do), never have had to do a single thing to preserve their beauty. There are other famous beauties who have had to work every step of the way to have their beauty, and twice as hard and unremittingly to keep it. Of course, if you are a famous beauty who really doesn't have to do anything to stay beautiful, then don't send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Dare Department of The Washington Post for this week's illustrated leaflet, which tells you how to make warm bed jackets, artistic foot warmers, cunning bed mittens to hide your hand lotion and skin food and at the same time keep them from the bed covers, and oh, a lot of other things! But if you are just an average mortal like we are—you had better send for the leaflet and find out how to be artistic in bed, the while you are giving yourself some oh, so valuable, aid to the having and keeping of beauty.

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Someone asked to see the front of the lovely velvet dress I sketched for you last week—'member the one with the Irish lace collar in the back? Well, it just seemed to me to be worth sketching, too, so there it is!

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And my idea of what a lovely lady might wear with such a dress is that black velvet and turquoise blue satin slipper, sketched in the corner, and turquoise blue suede gloves. Then, depending entirely upon her type, of course she might care to wear a black jet and turquoise and silver enamel necklace. I wouldn't for my type, but then I'm the long drippy earring type, and maybe the lady in the picture isn't!

Au revoir!

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Culbertson on Contract

by Ely Culbertson

World's Champion Player and Greatest Card Analyst

A-199.

AVOIDING THE PRECIPICE.

THE line, which divides the makeable Slam from the hand that will fail by only 1 trick, quite frequently presents tremendous difficulties to the Bridge player. It is an axiom of the Approach-Forcing System of Contract bidding that Slam should not be bid unless you are sure that the danger of losing tricks to adversely held Aces and Kings has been reduced to a minimum. In Rubber No. 5 of the 150 Rubber Match I am playing against Mr. Sidney S. Lenz, my partner, Mrs. Culbertson, had an opportunity to show her marvelous judgment of card values and refused to bid a Slam. Her course was made more simple, it is true, by information I conveyed to her during the bidding.

West, Dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

	Mr. Lenz ♠ J 7 5 ♡ J 10 2 ◇ K 8 4 3 ♣ 8 5 2	
Mr. Culbertson ♠ A Q 9 8 6 ♡ K 8 5 4 ◇ A 10 5 2 ♣ —	N W E S	Mrs. Culbertson ♠ K 10 4 3 ♡ Q 3 ◇ Q J 7 ♣ A 10 9 4
	Mr. Jacoby ♠ 2 ♡ A 9 7 6 ◇ 9 6 ♣ K Q J 7 6 3	

The Bidding:

(Figures after bids in table refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs).

West	North	East	South
1♠	Pass	3♠	4♣(1)
5♣(2)	Pass	5♠(3)	Pass
Pass (4)	Pass		

1—A daring vulnerable Overcall.

2—My hand appears of distinctly Slam caliber, provided the honor-tricks in my partner's hand will fit my holding. I therefore, made a Slam try by bidding five clubs. While this bid is a Slam try, it is also a warning. It warns my partner not to rebid any values already held and thus undertake a probable losing contract, but assures her that in my judgment we are safe in view of my holding and her Raise, to play the contract at five Spades.

3—My bid of five Clubs has been illuminating indeed to my partner. She holds a very strong hand in support of the Spade Contract, but the notice I have given her that my hand contains no Clubs, instead of making her hand stronger, has definitely weakened it. If she held the Ace of Hearts, rather than the Ace of Clubs, the correct bid would be 6 Spades, but the duplication of values shown by the void in Clubs in my hand and the Ace of Clubs in hers makes the Slam try entirely out of the question.

4—Mrs. Culbertson's bid of five Spades warns me that I should not attempt a Slam contract.

Five Spades were made on the hand. It is, of course, obvious that this is an impossible Slam, as the Ace of Hearts and the King of Diamonds must both make.

TODAY'S POINTER.

Question: What is the difference between an Opening one-bid in a suit and an Opening one notrump bid?

Answer: An Opening notrump bid requires a hand that contains no suit bid, and this is the only difference.

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QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

Mr. Culbertson will be glad to answer questions on bidding and play of hands sent in by readers. Address him in care of The Washington Post, inclosing a 2-cent stamped, self-addressed envelope.

SOCIETY

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decorated with poinsettia, holly and red candles. After all were standing at their places, the lights were turned out, with only the tree lights and candles burning, while in the adjoining room a group of the young people living in the hotel sang "Silent Night, Holy Night," led by Mrs. Charles A. Bond. Mrs. William Hamilton Bayly presided and after announcing that there would be no speeches, introduced some of the new Roosevelt residents in official life, Representative and Mrs. Taylor, of Colorado; Representative and Mrs. Thomason, of Texas; Representative and Mrs. Gillen, of Indiana; Representative and Mrs. Burtness, of North Dakota; also Representative Rainey, of Illinois, as the new leader of the House, and diplomatic representatives from Paraguay; then presented Representative Albert Vestal, of Indiana, as song director. With such an inspiring leader, the time between the courses was well filled with Christmas, patriotic and other well known songs, with Mrs. Bayly at the piano.

A pleasant feature before the close was the introduction of Representative and Mrs. Addison T. Smith, of Idaho, who have resided for some years at the Roosevelt, when it was learned that it was their forty-second wedding anniversary.

Miss Edna May Luers entertained at the Shoreham at luncheon yesterday in honor of her sister, Mrs. Percy Hill, of Vancouver, British Columbia. Her other guests were Miss Dorothy Lewis, Miss Ruth Hall, Mrs. McKay and Mrs. William Eickner.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Cressey, of Montreal, are at the Dodge. They are in Washington attending the meetings of the American Sociological Society.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Augustus Simpson have issued cards for January 1 at 5 o'clock, at their home in the Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Prichard, of Georgia, are guests through the holidays of the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Walter A. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Straus, jr., of New York, are at the Carlton, accompanied by their son, Irving Lehman Straus.

Mrs. Robert Whitney Imbrie will be at home on the Mondays in January from 4:30 until 6:30 o'clock at her home 1016 Sixteenth street.

The Army and Navy Country Club will entertain at a tea dance Saturday afternoon from 3 until 6 o'clock.

Miss Helen Sonia Kraft entertained a company at a supper dance at the Club Michel last evening.

Among those present were Midshipmen S. Francis Zeller, M. Lionel Kraft, Miss Helen Nachman, Miss Ruth Werner, Mr. Everett Simon, Miss Helen Korman, Mr. Jerry Harper, Miss Miriam Rothstein, Mr. Stanford Himelfarb, Miss Leanore Rosenthal, Mr. Lester Ott, Miss Helen Starbecker, Mr. Armond Gordon, Miss Bernice Kleeblott and Mr. Herbert Sworzyn.

Judge and Mrs. John C. Clark, of New York City, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Jane P. Clark, are at the Carlton.

Miss Grace E. Dutton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Dutton, has issued invitations for a luncheon to be given Saturday in honor of Miss Jean Woodson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Woodson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Howard entertained at a dinner dance last evening in the patio of the Carlton Hotel in celebration of their thirty-fifth wedding anniversary. The company numbered 44.

Dr. T. M. Schippell has out invitations for a reception on January 1 in honor of Dr. Elizabeth Riley, in her home, 1329 Sixteenth street, from 4 to 6 o'clock.

The Congressional Club was the scene of a gay Christmas party given for the children and grandchildren of the members on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Howard S. Reeside played Santa Claus, to the delight of all the little guests. Games and stories were conducted with great tact and understanding by Miss Elizabeth Molster, play director.

A group of songs sung by the Powell Junior High School Quartet and the moving pictures directed by Mr. Joseph Herbert and Mr. Kemper Cowing completed the afternoon's fun and frolic.

Miss Madeline Prentice, of New York, is the guest of Maj. and Mrs. Henry L. Larsen at Wardman Park Hotel.

Mrs. J. L. Thorndike, of Boston, Mass., is at the Carlton accompanied by Miss Alice Thorndike and Mr. H G. Thorndike.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Meyers, of Baltimore, are at the Potomac Park Apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson T. Hartman entertained at the dinner dance at the Shoreham last night in honor of Miss Thelma Ledbetter, of Michigan City, and their sister, Mrs. Juanita Hobbs, of New York.

The members of the Carroll Springs Club of Forest Glen, will give a dinner dance tomorrow from 6 to midnight, at Carroll Springs Inn. A program of vocal and instrumental selections will be rendered at the intermission.

Mrs. Samuel Burleigh Milton and her sister, Mrs. Wilfred Geist Fronheister, who entertained at a dinner of eight covers Christmas Day and at bridge Saturday evening, will again entertain at six tables of bridge today in compliment to Maj. and Mrs Arthur Edmon Brown, who have just returned to Washington from the Philippines and are on their way to Maj. Brown's new post at Chanute Field, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Crane entertained at the dinner dance at the Shoreham last night for their daughter, Miss Betty Crane. Their other guests were Miss Claire Collins, Miss Mary Louise Colbert, Mr. Yorke Mills, Mr. Charles Hyslop and Mr. Hammond Mills.

Uniforms of students of various military schools, spending the holidays in Washington, heightened the color of the annual subdeb dance at the Congressional Country Club last night. Many of the club members entertained at dinner parties preceding the dance.

Among those entertaining for their daughters were Mrs. Gerald P. Nye, of North Dakota; Mrs. Adam M. Wyant, of Pennsylvania; Mrs. C. William Ramseyer and Mrs. F. Dickinson Letts, of Iowa; Mrs. John McDuffie, of Alabama; Mrs. Philip D. Swing, of California; Mrs. Homer Hoch, of Kansas; Mrs. Claude A. Fuller, of Arkansas; Mrs. William Williamson, of South Dakota; Mrs. Edmund F. Erk, of Pennsylvania, and Mrs. Randolph Perkins, of New Jersey.

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BETTER DRESSES—SECOND FLOOR

THE NEW Jelleff's

Filipinos Will Observe Rizal Day Here Tonight

Rizal Day, the largest Filipino national holiday, will be observed here tonight when Washington Filipinos gather in the auditorium at the United States Department of Interior, Nineteenth and F streets northwest.

The day is observed in honor of Dr. Jose Rizal, a national hero. Speakers will include Sra Ildefonsa Osias, wife of Camilo Osias, commissioner from the Philippines, and Dr Charles Pergler, of National University.

FIRE RECORD.

4:25 a. m.—1819 G street northwest; room.

2:44 p. m.—505-A Twenty-third street northwest; stove.

8:33 a. m.—308 W street northwest; brush.

8:41 p. m.—Twenty-fourth and Douglas streets northeast; false alarm.

The Weather

TODAY'S SUN AND TIDE TABLE

	A.M.	P.M.
Sun rises	7:27	
Sun sets	4:54	
High tide		12:12
Low tide	6:32	6:47

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Washington, Tuesday, Dec. 29—8 p. m.

Forecast—For the District of Columbia, increasing cloudiness Wednesday, followed by rain Wednesday night and Thursday forenoon; colder Thursday afternoon and night; moderate to fresh northeast and east winds.

For Maryland, increasing cloudiness Wednesday, followed by rain in extreme west portion Wednesday afternoon; rain Wednesday night and Thursday forenoon; colder Thursday afternoon and night; fresh northeast winds.

For Virginia, increasing cloudiness, followed by rain in extreme west portion in afternoon; rain Wednesday night and Thursday forenoon; colder Thursday afternoon and night; fresh northeast and east winds.

Pressure continues low over the Canadian Maritime Provinces, Belle Isle, 29.44 inches. The disturbance that was over Utah Monday night is advancing eastward, being central over western Kansas, Dodge City, 29.28 inches. Pressure continues high over Hudson Bay and Hudson Strait, Nottingham, 30.74 inches, with an extension southward over the lake region. Rains have occurred in southern California and rains and snows in the Rocky Mountain region and the plains States. Temperatures have fallen in the plateau and the Rocky Mountain region.

General forecast for the Atlantic States, the lower lake region, the Ohio Valley, and Tennessee: The outlook is for rain on Wednesday in the Ohio Valley and Tennessee, for rain Wednesday afternoon and night in the lower lake region, and the Appalachian region, for rain Wednesday night and Thursday forenoon in the Middle Atlantic and South Atlantic States, and for rain on Thursday in southern New England, and snow flurries on Thursday in the lower lake region. Colder weather is indicated Wednesday night and Thursday in the Ohio Valley and Tennessee, and on Thursday afternoon and night in the Middle Atlantic and South Atlantic States and the lower lake region.

Local Weather Report.

Temperatures—Midnight, 33; 2 a. m., 33; 4 a. m., 34; 6 a. m., 35; 8 a. m., 37; 10 a. m., 43; 12 noon, 48; 2 p. m., 49; 4 p. m., 48; 6 p. m., 46; 8 p. m., 44; 10 p. m., 41. Highest, 49; lowest, 33.

Relative humidity—8 a. m., 62; 2 p. m., 60; 8 p. m., 62. Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 p. m.), trace. Hours of sunshine, one-quarter. Per cent of possible sunshine, .03.

DEPARTURES FROM NORMAL.

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1931, 1,184 degrees. Excess of temperature since December 1, 1931, 254 degrees. Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1931, 8.37 inches. Deficiency of precipitation since December 1, 1931, 1.01 inches.

Temperatures and Precipitation.

Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ended Tuesday 8 p. m.:

	Highest Tues.	Mon. night	Tues. 8 p.m.	Lowest Rain-fall
Washington, D. C.	49	33	44	....
Asheville, N. C.	58	32	48	....
Atlanta, Ga.	62	42	58	....
Atlantic City, N. J.	48	30	40	....
Baltimore, Md.	52	38	44	....
Birmingham, Ala.	68	42	60	....
Bismarck, N. Dak.	30	30	30	....
Boston, Mass.	42	26	38	....
Buffalo, N. Y.	34	26	30	....
Chicago, Ill.	42	38	38	....
Cincinnati, Ohio	44	36	38	....
Cheyenne, Wyo.	36	22	24	0.08
Cleveland, Ohio	38	36	36	....
Davenport, Iowa	40	34	40	....
Denver, Colo.	44	32	34	....
Des Moines, Iowa	40	32	38	....
Detroit, Mich.	40	36	36	....
Duluth, Minn.	36	32	36	....
El Paso, Tex.	62	46	56	....
Galveston, Tex.	72	62	68	....
Helena, Mont.	32	28	28	0.06
Indianapolis, Ind.	44	38	40	....
Jacksonville, Fla.	72	54	64	....
Kansas City, Mo.	56	38	54	....
Little Rock, Ark.	62	50	62	....
Los Angeles, Calif.	62	48	56	0.02
Louisville, Ky.	48	36	44	....
Marquette, Mich.	36	28	28	....
Memphis, Tenn.	66	50	62	....
Miami, Fla.	78	60	72	....
Mobile, Ala.	68	60	62	....
New Orleans, La.	74	58	64	....
New York, N. Y.	44	38	38	....
North Platte, Nebr.	34	30	34	0.02
Omaha, Nebr.	40	34	40	....
Philadelphia, Pa.	48	34	44	....
Phoenix, Ariz.	68	48	68	0.01
Pittsburgh, Pa.	42	36	36	....
Portland, Me.	36	30	30	....
Portland, Oreg.	48	36	42	....
Salt Lake City, Utah	28	24	28	0.36
St. Louis, Mo.	52	38	48	....
St. Paul, Minn.	38	32	38	....
San Antonio, Tex.	74	48	72	....
San Diego, Calif.	58	52	56	0.36
San Francisco, Calif.	50	44	48	0.01
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	38	30	28	0.10
Savannah, Ga.	70	50	60	....
Seattle, Wash.	48	38	44	....
Springfield, Ill.	44	38	40	....
Tampa, Fla.	78	54	70	....
Toledo, Ohio	38	32	38	....
Vicksburg, Miss.	72	52	68	....

River Bulletin.

Harpers Ferry, W. Va., Dec. 29.—Potomac and Shenandoah Rivers clear.

Wives of Tomorrow

FRANCES M'DONALD

SOME PARENTS SPEAK!

MY DEAR Frances McDonald: Here's one parent your opinion hasn't shocked! I am alluding to the rebukes you administered to the parents who indulge in the oppression of their children, minor or grown. In fact, I am amazed to learn that such parents still exist; though if they do exist they would, of course, produce just such daughters as "Stenog," who wrote to you. This poor girl has never been allowed to grow up. Is this the age of youth—or isn't it?

I have two girls—both working. They tell me where they are going, but they do not ask me, "May I go?"—unless, indeed, they wish to borrow my car; then the request simply refers to the car, "May I take your car? We're going down to Mary's." If I don't think much of their plans for the evening I casually suggest some slight modification of them which may and may not be followed—but at least I have dropped a seed.

I can picture poor Stenog's home. Implicit obedience has reigned there since early childhood. If there are any moods or tempers it is not she who indulges in them—she stays "pleasant", on the outside, anyway. She knows better than to be anything else. Things are bad enough as it is. The question is: Can she break the habit of a lifetime, ingrained in the very cells of her brain and body, not to oppose her parents' will? She will have some trouble, I'm afraid, developing her own, but the reward will be great and I hope she succeeds. I admit it may be very easy on the nerves to have a daughter like a cringing pup and life may run very smoothly—on the surface, anyway—but I don't care to have any women in my home who are slaves to my will and who tremble with fear at my frown. In short it gives me more pleasure to see my girls happy than a sense of power over them would give me. I am quite sure I influence them, but indirectly. It is certainly very nice if a mother's wishes are considered and her opinion asked—but that can be best gained by getting on an equal footing with them. I trust my girls implicitly and absolutely.

If I were to die tomorrow they at least would not feel that a yoke had been removed from their necks, nor would their hearts sing: "My mother's gone to heaven. Hooray! Hooray!"—at least I don't believe they would.

"MRS. FIFTY."

Dear Frances McDonald: While admitting that many parents are tyrannical with their children who are grown, I question the wisdom of your giving voice publicly to criticism of those who are doing their best according to the light that is given them. Some children are harder to control than others, and parents today have much to contend with, without having their methods self-supporting, but I feel that they are but doing their duty when they give me their earnings, with the advantages they have received. And I certainly do not feel we can afford the expense that accompanies this going out evenings. Once a month or so, yes. But oftener than that I do not permit. They are selfish enough to feel that they should have all they make over their board, and go out two and three nights a week. Poor people can not accord their children such privileges, and it is not tyranny to ask that they repay what has been spent on them in raising them to the self-supporting stage, which you tell them is the stage at which they should start thinking for themselves. I would like the opinions of other parents on this—if you print this, as no doubt you will not.

MOTHER.

You have in your own letter answered the question as to why we offer criticism of out-dated methods of dealing with the young. You state that parents act according to "their light." We are supplying a little more light:

Your self-supporting children are in no way responsible for the support and up-bringing of your other children. They are entitled to whatever they earn over their board. If any two people choose to so instill family love and devotion into their brothers and sisters as the first consideration, well and good. But three young girls are in no way bound to remain at home evenings, give all they earn or in any other way contribute to the support of any one but themselves.

You, rather than your girls, are the selfish one. And it is from such reasoning that we have the problem of the girl who rebels. However, we welcome any opinions on the subject, however strongly they may conflict with ours—which, by the way, is founded upon the law which holds the parent responsible even for the board of all minor children. The contributions such children make to the household are good will contributions and not payment on any debt incurred having been born. Opinions for or against will be published.

What Today Means to You

By MARY BLAKE

"CAPRICORN."

IF December 30 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9:40 a. m. to 11 a. m., from 5 to 6:15 p. m. and from 9:30 to 10:45 p. m. The danger periods are from 7:40 a. m. to 9 a. m. and from 3 p. m. to 4:40 p. m.

December 30 will be a time of reaping and not of sowing. Seed sown and forgotten will blossom forth into events of importance. That many a big fire is started with small kindling will be plainly demonstrated. The evening hours will bring you luck and friendship!

Self-reliance, ambition and modesty will be the most notable characteristics of the child born on this December 30. It will be able to accomplish almost anything to which it puts its mind and back. Socially, it will be bright, witty, entertaining and a general favorite.

Born December 30, you have an adaptable and progressive nature; one which will grow to the demands of circumstance. You will be able to meet success with the same kind of indomnitability with which you meet adversity, and they will both sit at your feet from time to time. You never try to steal a ride through life; you are anxious to do your part and to pay your own way. You will never allow either your hands or your brain to grow soft through nonuse.

If you be a man you have vision; business acumen and imagination; your moves are not merely lucky gestures in the dark. Within the home and to your associates, you are a benevolent despot, and your word is not to be gainsaid.

If you be a woman, you will make a doting mother, one fierce for her offspring, yet sweet with them and to them. Unless your children are very strong in character, they will be completely spoiled and selfish, and made so by your own tireless solicitude.

No one will ever be in doubt as to whether or not you are a friend. You are sincere, frank and outspoken, and never guilty of dissimulation. To your enemies, you show a "get-even-spirit," and you usually add interest to your debts. You do not like social life except within your own circle.

Successful people born December 30:

Stephen H. Long, engineer for whom Longs Peak was named.

Frank Carlos Griffith, theater manager.

Rudyard Kipling, author.

John Francis Anderson, bridge builder.

Cornelius E. Penner, poet.

William R. Alger, Congregational clergyman.

Al Smith, Governor of New York.

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Indoor and Outdoor Gardens

By JANE LESLIE KIFT

SUCCESS WITH MIGNONETTE.

MOST people regard mignonette as a garden plant and never think that it will do equally well in the house. Measured by its fragrance alone it is one of the most delightful house plants we have. The flower heads, while not particularly colorful, exude a most delicate odor—there is nothing just like it.

The first thing to understand in the growing of this rather whimsical plant is the fact that it is very hard to transplant; indeed it is impossible to do so without giving the plants a check, and in order to have vigorous plants we must avoid checking their growth at any stage of their career. The only way to avoid transplanting is to sow the seeds in pots instead of in flats.

To start mignonette, prepare 2-inch pots will good soil, make a slight depression in the loam in the center of each pot and drop into it three seeds, after which cover them slightly with good soil. In about two weeks, when the seed has germinated, thin to one plant to a pot, retaining the strongest. When the pots are filled with roots, shift to 4-inch pots, and as soon as you feel that these are filled with roots, shift to eight-inch pots. When making this last shift add a bit of drainage material; two inches will not be too much.

Mignonette must be watered carefully, as too much water will cause the soil to become sour and too little will cause a check of the plant's development. For the same reason the plants must never be permitted to become pot-bound.

When your seedings or young plants are about three inches high, be sure to pinch out the center of the middle shoots. Two or three shoots will soon come out from the stem, and these with five or six others, which will have developed, will make a well-shaped plant. Pinch out any other shoots that may start. A little later when the plants are about six inches high, they will no doubt require staking.

When the flower buds begin to show give them some liquid manure. At first give this food once a week, then when the bud expands give it twice a week.

If you succeed in growing your mignonette without a check you will be rewarded by plants with from one to fifteen good spikes to a plant.

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All readers' questions on growing and care of indoor and outdoor flowers and floral decorations for social functions will be answered by Miss Kift; directly in this column if addressed in care of The Washington Post, or directly to readers if a self-addressed stamped envelope is supplied.

Fifth Avenue Fashions

SMARTLY SLIMMING.

Very simply cut is this tremendously smart dress. There are lots of things about it that will make the heavier figure appear charmingly slender.

The cross-over lines need no introduction. The one-sided, softly falling jabot rever deserves mention, for it detracts beautifully from breadth. There is still another point in the clever arrangement of the skirt fullness concentrated at the front.

A novelty wool crepe is particularly desirable for all-day wear.

Style No. 273 is designed for sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48 inch-bust. Size 36 requires 4¼ yards of 39-inch material with 3 yards of 8-inch lace and ⅛ yard of 35-inch lining.

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273

Helping the Homemaker

SEEING IN THE NEW YEAR.

Party Refreshments.

Chicken Salad — Toasted Rolls
Olives
Assorted Cookies — Coffee
Nuts — Candy

Chicken Salad for 12.

4 cups diced cooked chicken
4 cups diced celery
4 tablespoons chopped pimentos
2 teaspoons salt
¼ teaspoon paprika
1 cup stiff mayonnaise
½ cup whipped cream

Mix and chill chicken, celery and seasonings. Mix mayonnaise and whipped cream. Chill. When ready to serve, mix one-half mayonnaise mixture with chicken mixture. Arrange on lettuce and top with remaining mayonnaise mixture.

Old-Fashioned Molasses Cookies.

1 cup sugar
½ cup molasses
2-3 cup fat
2-3 cup sour milk
1 teaspoon ginger
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1 teaspoon cloves
1 teaspoon nutmeg
½ teaspoon salt
4 cups flour
1 teaspoon soda
1 cup raisins

Mix sugar, molasses and fat. Mix well and boil 1 minute. Cool. Add rest of ingredients. Mix lightly and drop portions from end of spoon into greased baking sheets. Flatten down with knife and bake 12 minutes in moderate oven.

Fruit Cookies.

(For beverages).

1 cup butter
2 cups sugar
3 eggs
2 tablespoons coffee
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 tablespoons cream
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1 teaspoon cloves
1 teaspoon nutmeg
½ teaspoon salt
1 cup chopped dates
1 cup chopped figs
1 cup nuts
3½ cups flour
1 teaspoon soda
2 tablespoons boiling water

Cream the butter and sugar. Add eggs and coffee and beat 2 minutes. Add rest of ingredients. Mix well. Drop portions of dough from end of spoon onto greased baking sheets. Bake 12 minutes in moderate oven. Store in tightly covered jars and cookies will remain moist for some time.

RADIO PROGRAMS

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30.

WRC—National Broadcasting Co.
(316 Meters. 950 Kilocycles.)

6:45 a. m.—Health Exercises.
8:00 a. m.—Gene and Glenn.
9:15 a. m.—Morning Devotions.
9:30 a. m.—Cheerio.
9:00 a. m.—Morning Glee Club.
9:15 a. m.—Dr. Copeland's Health Clinic.
9:30 a. m.—Flying Fingers.
9:45 a. m.—A. & P. Food Program.
10:00 a. m.—Mrs. Blake's Radio Column.
10:15 a. m.—National Home Hour.
10:45 a. m.—Betty Crocker.
11:00 a. m.—Keeping Up With Daughter.
11:15 a. m.—Radio Household Institute.
11:30 a. m.—Hugo Mariani's Marionettes.
12:00 (noon)—General Electric Home Circle.
12:15 p. m.—"The Real George Washington," by Charles Colfax Long.
12:30 p. m.—National Farm and Home Hour.
1:30 p. m.—Palais d'Or Orchestra.
2:00 p. m.—N. B. C. Program.
2:15 p. m.—Golden Gems.
2:45 p. m.—Good Neighbor Hour.
3:00 p. m.—Woman's Radio Review.
4:00 p. m.—Pilgrims.
4:30 p. m.—Phil Spitalny's Tea Dansants.
5:00 p. m.—Lady Next Door.
5:15 p. m.—Frances Bowden.
5:30 p. m.—"Famous Paintings in Many Lands," by Alice Hutchins Drake.
5:45 p. m.—Florence Wightman, harpist.
6:00 p. m.—"Music Treasure Box," by Pierre V. Key.
6:15 p. m.—"Too Easy to Get a Gun," Mrs. Joseph Sanders, Parent-Teachers' Association.
6:28 p. m.—Waldorf Astoria Orchestra.
6:30 p. m.—Ponce Sisters.
6:45 p. m.—"The Stebbins Boys."
7:00 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:15 p. m.—Campbell's Soups Orchestra.
7:30 p. m.—Prince Albert Quarter-Hour.
7:45 p. m.—Wilkins Coffee Quarter-Hour.

WILKINS COFFEE QUARTER-HOUR

Featuring Mabelle Jennings—Interviewing Joe Penner, Comedian, with Marguerite Cromwell. And the Wilkins Coffee Orchestra. Directed by Harold Vee.

—just wonderful!

8:00 p. m.—Snoop and Peep.
8:15 p. m.—Shannons.
8:30 p. m.—Goodyear Program.
9:00 p. m.—Halsey Stuart Program.
9:30 p. m.—Mobiloil Concert.
10:00 p. m.—Amelia Earhart Interview.
10:30 p. m.—Lyric Drama, "Midsummer Night's Dream."
11:00 p. m.—"The Voice of Radio Digest," by Nellie Revell.
11:15 p. m.—Last-Minute News.
11:17 p. m.—Jesse Crawford.
11:31 p. m.—Vincent Lopes Orchestra.
12:00 (midnight)—Ralph Kirbery, dream singer.
2:05 a. m.—Coon-Sanders Orchestra.
2:30-1:00 a. m.—Paul Whiteman's Orchestra.

WMAL—Columbia Broadcasting System.
(475.9 Meters. 630 Kilocycles.)

8:00 a. m.—Morning Devotions.
8:15 a. m.—Musicale.
8:45 a. m.—Old Dutch Girl.
9:00 a. m.—Melody Magic.
9:30 a. m.—Tony's Scrap Book.
9:45 a. m.—Rhythm Ramblers.
10:00 a. m.—Margaret Alexander, pianist.
10:15 a. m.—Melody Parade.
10:45 a. m.—Personality Perfume.
11:00 a. m.—Four Clubmen.
11:15 a. m.—Musical Alphabet.
11:45 a. m.—Ben Alley, Tenor.
12:00 (noon)—Don Bigelow Orchestra.
12:30 p. m.—Revue.
1:00 p. m.—Al Sakol Orchestra.
1:30 p. m.—Ritz Carlton Orchestra.
2:00 p. m.—Aunt Jemima, songs.
2:15 p. m.—Salon Orchestra.
3:00 p. m.—Primer for Town Farmers.
3:10 p. m.—Kathryn Parsons.
3:15 p. m.—Four Eton Boys.
3:30 p. m.—Arthur Jarrett.
3:45 p. m.—Theo Karle, tenor, and Vera Bakin, pianist.
4:00 p. m.—U. S. Navy Band Concert.
5:00 p. m.—John Kelvin, Irish tenor.
5:15 p. m.—Uncle Ollie.
5:30 p. m.—Herr Louie.
5:45 p. m.—News Flashes.
6:00 p. m.—Bill Schudt's Going to Press.
6:15 p. m.—Harold Stern Orchestra.
6:45 p. m.—Victor Program.
7:00 p. m.—Myrt and Marge.
7:15 p. m.

VETERANS' LEADERS CANCEL 1932 PARADE

February Bonus Demonstration Called Off for Patriotic Reasons, Fahey Says.

Patriotic reasons were assigned as the cause of the cancellation of plans for the proposed gigantic veterans' demonstration here on February 5.

John H. Fahey, national legislative chairman of the Army and Navy Union, which had sponsored the proposed parade of World War veterans, who wish cash payment of the soldiers' bonus, announced last night that the plans had been quashed after conferences with Gen. Frank T. Hines, veterans' administrator, and President Hoover.

Because reports from throughout the country indicated that about 100,000 service men were planning to come to Washington for the occasion, Mr. Fahey said, it was decided that so great a number would tax the city too greatly and that it would be impossible to find accommodations for them.

Also, the chairman stated, the affair was scheduled for the same time which the "hunger marchers" are reported to have selected for their second pilgrimage to the city, and it was believed that friction between the two groups might cause difficulties.

It was originally estimated that 8,000 veterans would take part in the parade and petition at the Capitol Permission had been granted for the event by Vice President Curtis and Representative Garner, Speaker of the House. Brig. Gen. Pelham D. Glassford had also granted the request of the group that they be allowed to parade on Pennsylvania avenue.

However, Mr. Fahey said, we have not stopped our fight for cash payment of the bonus. The cancellation of the demonstration was merely made because of the inconvenience which it might be to the city and the Nation, and because of the huge proportions which it would have assumed.

Leader Calls Al Smith 'Unpopular Possibility'

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—E. W. Pettus, chairman of the State Democratic executive committee and a leader in the campaign for the election of Alfred E. Smith as President in 1928, was quoted by the Birmingham News today as saying Smith is an "unpop..lar possibility" for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1932.

His statement, as published by the New.., said, in part: "I seriously doubt that former Gov. Smith would be able to carry any more of the South than he did in 1928. His nomination would only serve to bring about another division in the party and would complicate the glowing outlook which the Democratic party now has for taking control of the national situation."

Fox Considers Return To Cinema Industry

Hollywood, Calif., Dec. 29 (A.P.). Possibility that William Fox, founder and former president of the Fox Film Corporation, may return to active participation in the motion picture industry was admitted today by Joe Leo, here on business connected with a theater owned by Fox.

Leo, former head of the Fox organization, said Fox, who is his brother-in-law, has been "considering propositions" for his return to the films. William Fox was ousted from control of his company in October, 1930.

PLANS STUDY

ALBERT H. GARRETSON.

Student Here Set For Rhodes Work

A. H. Garretson Says He Was "Fortunate" to Win Scholarship.

Albert Henry Garretson, 21 year old student at the Graduate School of American University, of this city, who recently was awarded a three-years' Rhodes Scholarship for study abroad, has just returned from his home in Tacoma, Wash., where he competed for the prize and won.

"I was fortunate," he declared. Garretson is a graduate of Whitman College, Walla Walla, Wash., 1931, and is now research assistant under Dr. Ellery C. Stowell, in the Department of International Law of the Graduate School of American University.

He plans to complete his work for the Master of Arts degree in international law next June, and will leave the United States next fall to enter Oxford University, where he will study for two of his three years abroad. He has not decided where to spend the third year, which may be at any university in the United States or Europe.

Lynchburg's Radio Appeal Is Opposed

U.S. Chief Examiner Urges Denying Request for New Wave Length.

(Associated Press.)

The Radio Commission's chief examiner recommended yesterday that Broadcasting Station WLVA at Lynchburg be denied permission to operate on the wave length assignment now held by Station WLBG, of Petersburg.

At the same time Chief Examiner Ellis A. Yost suggested that the application of WLBG for a renewal of its license be granted. The recommendation must yet be acted upon by the commission before the ruling becomes final.

WLVA and WBTM, of Danville, are sharing time on the 1,370-kilocycle frequency. The former asked that it be allowed to broadcast for unlimited time with 100-watt power at night and 250-watt in the day time on the 1,200-kilocycle channel now occupied by WLBG.

Son Born to Japanese Princess.

Tokyo, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Princess Yi Kon, Japanese consort of the head of the former royal house of Korea, today gave birth to a son. The Prince is a major in the Japanese army.

OFFICERS SELECTED BY DISTRICT MASONS

Reuben A. Bogley Is Chosen Grand Master; Two New Men Enter List.

Officers of the District of Columbia Masons were elected Monday night at the St. John's day communication of the Grand Lodge, F. A. A. M., held in Masonic Temple, Thirteenth street and New York avenue northwest.

Reuben A. Bogley, deputy grand master, was elected grand master to succeed C. Fred Cook, who has been the titular head of Blue Lodge Masonry in the Masonic jurisdiction of the District since 1930.

Mr. Bogley was appointed to the official line of the Grand Lodge as junior grand steward in 1922. He served in the various stations in regular order through the years, until being appointed to the highest position last night.

Daniels Junior Grand Steward.

Ara Marcus Daniels, past master of Pentalpha Lodge, No. 23, was elected to fill the vacancy of junior grand steward at the foot of the line. He is well known in Masonic and other circles here and is the director of the Masonic Personnel and Service Bureau.

Only one other new officer was elected. He was Aubrey H. Clayton, past master of Mount Pleasant Lodge, No. 33, who was named grand lecturer.

Officers advanced to higher ranks included Harry G. Kimball, senior grand warden, advanced to the office of deputy grand master; Vernon G. Owen, junior grand warden to senior grand warden; Robert S. Segar, grand marshal to junior grand warden; Clyde J. Nichols, senior grand deacon to grand marshal; Otto B. Roepke, junior grand deacon to senior grand deacon; Paul C. Cromelin, grand sword bearer to junior grand deacon; Leonard P. Steuart, grand pursuivant to grand sword bearer; Eugene E. Thompson, senior grand steward to grand pursuivant and Needham C. Turnage, junior grand steward to senior grand steward.

Other Officers Reelected.

Those reelected included Past Grand Master J. Claude Keiper as grand secretary; Past Grand Master Charles E. Baldwin as grand treasurer; the Rev. John C. Palmer, past master of Benjamin B. French Lodge, No. 15, as grand chaplain and Past Master William P. Herbst, of Hiram Lodge, No. 10, as grand tiler.

The vacancy of assistant grand chaplain, caused by the death of the Rev. Charles E. Fultz some time ago, was filled by Dr. Simpson B. Daugherty, pastor of Memorial United Brethren Church, who is chaplain of Washington Centennial Lodge, No. 14.

The holder of an extensive Masonic record, Mr. Bogley, newly elected grand master, is a past master and present secretary of George C. Whiting Lodge, No. 22, past high priest of Mount Vernon Chapter, No. 3, Royal Arch Masons, and emminent commander of Washington Commandery, No. 1, Knights Templar.

He is also a thirty-second-degree Mason of Albert Pike Consistory, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, of Almas Temple of the Mystic Shrine, of Kallapolis Grotto and of Capital Forest of the Tall Cedars of Lebanon. Mr. Bogley is past patron of Mizpah Chapter, No. 8, and a past grand patron of the grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star and is a member of the Masonic Veterans Association.

Following his election Mr. Bogley was presented with a watch by his son, Reuben A. Bogley, jr., who is immediate past master of the lodge his father once presided over.

The new grand lecturer, Mr. Clayton, who entered the Grand Lodge line for the first time last night, is now high priest of Mount Pleasant Chapter No. 13, R. A. M., and is past master of Mount Pleasant Lodge No. 33. Mr. Clayton became a Mason in 1920 and was appointed worshipful master of his lodge in 1927.

He was born near Lawrenceville, Va., and is assistant superintendent of the Railway Mail Service. He lives at 1601 Argonne place, northwest.

Former Pentalpha Master.

Mr. Daniels, new junior grand steward, was master of Pentalpha Lodge No. 23, in 1930. He is also king of Mount Vernon Chapter, No. 3, a member of Brightwood Council, No 6 of DeMolay Commandery, No. 4, Knights Templar. He is captain of the guard of Almas Temple, general secretary of the General Committee Triennals, 1933, General Grand Chapter-General Grand Council; patron of Esther Chapter, No. 5, Eastern Star and vice president of the High Priest Association, 1931.

Mr. Daniels was born in Washington, the son of Ara M. Daniels, druggist, and is a civil engineer by profession. He is a graduate of Tech High School and George Washington University. For 20 years he served as a Government engineer in the Navy and Agriculture Departments.

Kilauea's Flow of Lava Is Rapidly Diminishing

Hilo, Hawaii, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The Kilauea Volcano greatly blackened its activity today after dozens of fountains had tossed flaming lava within its huge fire pit since Wednesday. The southwest fountain continued to hurl molten rock 50 to 75 feet, but all others ceased spouting during last night.

MOVEMENT OF STEAMSHIPS

New York, Dec. 29.

ARRIVED TUESDAY.

Baltic, from Liverpool.
Majestic, from Southampton.
American Banker, from London.

SAIL WEDNESDAY.

American Shipper, for Hamburg.
Examelia, for Naples.
City of Norfolk, for Hamburg.
New Columbia, for Loanda.
Cabo Mayor, for Barcelona.
Ingria, for Barcelona.

SAILS THURSDAY.

Hamburg, for Hamburg.

REPORTED BY RADIO.

Exeter, from Mediterranean; due at pier F, Jersey City, Wednesday.
President Roosevelt, from Hamburg; due at pier 60, North River, Friday.
Deutschland, from Hamburg; due at pier 86, North River, Friday.
American Farmer, from London; due at pier 39, North River, Sunday.
Saturnia, from Trieste; due at pier 84, North River, Sunday.

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MRS. BARNEY'S WILL BANS FORMER MATE

C. D. Hemick Is Excluded From Sharing in Estate of Over $50,000.

Christian D. Hemick, divorced husband of Mrs. Alice P. Barney, founder of the Neighborhood House at 470 N street southwest, is specifically excluded from sharing in the estate of Mrs. Barney, according to the terms of her will, which was filed for probate here yesterday. Mrs. Barney was numbered among the socially elite here for years and she maintained her home at 2306 Massachusetts avenue northwest.

The will directs that a major portion of the estate is to go to philanthropic and educational work. There was no accompanying estimate of the estate, though it was stated that it would exceed $50,000.

The Neighborhood House is to be kept in trust by the American Security & Trust Co. and Mrs. Laura A. Dreyfus-Barney, a daughter, and is to be loaned to the District Government to be operated as the Alice Barney Neighborhood House and Social Settlement for five years. If during that time the District has kept up the taxes and repairs, the house is to be given to the District.

The will shows that the home at 2306 Massachusetts avenue northwest was given to the two daughters, Mrs. Dreyfus-Barney and Natalie C. Barney before Mrs. Barney's death in California last October. Whatever is left to the estate after numerous bequests is to be divided into portions for the daughter to manage for the benefit of social, educational or artistic purposes.

Alcohol Patent Owners Win Infringement Suit

Wilmington, Del., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Federal Judge John P. Nields today filed an opinion holding that the Union Solvents Corporation, of Cincinnati, Ohio, had infringed upon the Charles Weizmann patent for the production of acetone and butyl alcohol by bacteriological processes.

The patent was issued September 9, 1919, and the infringement suit was filed several months ago by the Guaranty Trust Co., of New York, and the Butacet Corporation, owners of the patent, and the Commercial Solvents Corporation, of Peoria, Ill., and Terre Haute, Ind., the exclusive licensee under the patent.

FILM TIME TABLES

Feature pictures are presented on the following schedules at the theaters named:

RKO-Keith's—"Peach o' Reno," at 11:15 a.m., 2:13, 4:51, 7:44 and 10:21 p.m. Stage shows, with Harry Langdon, in person, at 12:44, 3:22, 6:20 and 8:52 p.m.

Rialto—"Strictly Dishonorable," at 12:01, 2:12, 4:06, 6, 7:54 and 9:48 p.m.

Fox—"Delicious," at 10:28 a.m., 12:43, 2:58, 5:13, 7:46 and 10:01 p.m. Stage shows at 12:10, 2:25, 4:40, 7:13, and 9:28 p.m.

Palace—"Sidewalks of New York," at 11:30 a.m., 1:55, 4:40, 7:15, 9:55 p.m. Stage shows with Conrad Nagel, in person, at 1, 3:40, 6:15 and 9 p.m.

Earle—"Manhattan Parade," at 11:35 a.m., 1:55, 4:40, 7:30 and 10:00 p.m. Stage shows, headlining Joe Penner, at 1:00, 3:50, 6:40 and 9:10 p.m.

Metropolitan—"Penrod and Sam," at 11 a.m., 12:47, 2:34, 4:21, 6:09, 7:56 and 9:44 p.m.

Columbia—"Possessed," at 12 noon, 1:50, 3:50, 5:45, 7:45 and 9:40 p.m.

Tivoli—"Her Majesty Love," at 2:35, 4:20, 6:05, 7:50 and 9:35 p.m.

Ambassador—"Flying High," at 2:00, 3:55, 5:50, 7:45 and 9:40 p.m.

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Daily Legal Record

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1931.
COURT OF APPEALS.

No session. Adjourned from day to day.

DISTRICT SUPREME COURT.

Court in Christmas recess.

MOTIONS COURT—Mr. Justice James M. Proctor presiding; Harry B. Dertzbaugh, clerk.

No. 80453. World Credit Corporation vs. Samuel Feinstein et al.; judgment against defendant by default for $4,025 with interest and costs. Attys., Tepper & Blanken.

No. 80452. World Credit Corporation vs. Samuel Feinstein et al.; judgment by default for $2,479.01 with interest and costs against defendants Samuel and Vera Feinstein, less certain credits. Attys., Tepper & Blanken.

No. 52863. Florence E. Fernandez vs. Ramon F. Fernandez; decree dismissing bill with costs. Attys., R. E. Wellford, C. Couradis—Fred Stohlman.

No. 53331. Jennie Fine vs. Harry Nalman; time extended to January 6. Atty., A. M. Schwartz.

No. 52216. William J. Hutchison vs. A. Lincoln Hotels Co.; reference to auditor. Attys., Harry A. and Clifford P. Grant.

PROBATE COURT—Mr. Justices Bailey and Proctor.

Estate Charles J. Brown; will admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Edith M. Brown; bond $1,000. Atty., R. B. Dickey.

Estate Richard W. Henderson; will filed dated February 1, 1924.

Estate Annie Pollock; petition for probate of will and letters testamentary. Atty., William F. Paritow.

Estate Vincent B. Costello, letters of administration granted to Alice R. Costello; special bond, $1,000. Atty., William A. Gallagher.

In re Chauncey Walker; order appointing guardian; bond, $300. Attys., O'Shea, Burnett & Goldstein.

Estate Frederick R. Record; will filed dated November 29, 1915.

Estate Vito Luciano; petition for probate of will and letters testamentary. Attys., J. R. Fitzpatrick and J. B. Flynn.

Estate Margaret E. Collins; petition for probate of will and letters testamentary. Atty., D. W. O'Donoghue, jr.

Estate Gertrude L. Hoffman; petition to sell stocks and bonds denied. Atty., B. D. Boteler.

Estate Laura E. Ruckdaeschel; petition for letters of administration. Atty., S. G. Mulloy.

Estate Lucy L. Mitchell; petition for letters of administration. Atty., R. A. Ford.

Estate Vito Luciano; will admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Antonio Mistretta; special bond, $2,000. Attys., J. B. Flynn and J. B. Fitzpatrick.

Estate Laura E. Ruckdaeschel; letters of administration granted to William Ruckdaeschel; special bond, $1,000. Atty., S. G. Mulloy.

Estate Mary V. N. Fauth; will admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Frank Fauth; special bond, $800. Atty., James Sherrier.

Estate John B. Fitzgerald; petition for letters of administration. Atty., F. I. Brown.

Estate Sallie V. King; petition for probate of will and letters of administration c. t. a. Attys., A. Peter and W. H. Baden.

Estate Charles E. Herring; order for commission to issue to take proof of will. Atty., D. A. Pine.

Estate John H. Carroll; order for commission to issue to take proof of will. Atty., M. W. King.

Estate John B. Fitzgerald; letters of administration granted to Katherine R. Fitzgerald; special bond, $1,000. Atty., F. I. Brown.

Estate Margaret T. McIlveen; letters of administration granted to the National Savings & Trust Co. Atty., F. Stetson.

Estate Margaret Forsyth; order authorizing payment of $15 fee to guardian. Atty., W. W. Mackall.

Estate Charles A. Black; order authorizing sale of certain personalty. Attys., Offutt & Snyder.

Estate Richard Queen; order for rule to show cause to issue against administratrix. Atty., N. S. Hinman.

Estate Susan Champ Bradley; petition for probate of will and letters testamentary. Atty., H. Boyd.

In re Maria C. Valentine; answer to petition and request for leave to resign. Atty., A. B. Landa.

Estate John G. Lederer; petition for letters of administration. Atty., G. C. Gertman.

Estate Abe Blumenthal; will filed dated June 14, 1910.

Estate Harry D. Kizer; order appointing George Monk guardian and petition for probate of will and letters testamentary. Atty., M. A. Lehr.

Estate Mary Egan; petition for letters of administration. Atty., D. M. Goodacre.

In re Mary A. Briscoe; order appointing Rosie Briscoe guardian; bond, $1,500, and revoking order of October 8, 1931. Atty., J. C. Turco.

In re Lillian L. Cook; petition for allowance and order granted. Atty., H. T. Jones.

In re George R. Dennett; order authorizing expenditure Attys., A. Peter and W. H. Baden.

Estate Susan C. Bradley; will admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Walter Campbell Baker and Frances Bradley Baker; special bond, $2,000. Atty., H. Boyd.

Estate of Leo B. Abernethy; will filed dated January 20, 1931.

Estate of Joseph Kraus; will filed dated August 14, 1928.

Estate of Margaret H. Duvall; will filed dated October 2, 1929 and codicil filed dated October 15, 1930.

Estate of Seddon Womack; letters of administration granted to Marshall E. Womack; bond $500. Atty., J. Shenos.

Estate of John D. O'Connor; petition for probate of will and letters testamentary. Attys., G. Percy McGlue and T. F. Burke.

Estate of Margaret H. Duvall; petition for probate of will and codicil and letters. Atty., Geo. C. Gertman.

Estate of Chas. E. Herring; will filed dated April 24, 1930.

Estate of Joseph Hatzfeld; will filed dated June 13, 1916.

Estate of Roger Shale; will filed dated November 27, 1916.

In re Dean E. Brown, jr.; petition for appointing of guardian. Atty., W. C. Sullivan.

Estate of Lucy Hooe Boggs; will filed dated October 27, 1919.

Estate of Dorothy D. France; petition for probate of will and letters testamentary. Atty., Andrew Wilson.

Estate of Herbert John Elliot; petition for letters of administration. Atty., G. L. Minter.

Estate of Anna Crew; petition for letters of administration. Atty., Geo. W. Dalzell.

Estate of Chas. M. Bryant; petition for probate of will and letters testamentary. Attys., Cromelin & Laws.

Estate of Wm. A. Joiner; will filed dated August 11, 1925.

Estate of Geo. H. Hoffman; petition for appointment of guardian and order granted appointed Robert Taylor Hoffman, jr., bond $500. Atty., Chas. E. Pledger, jr.

Estate of Wm. J. Rogers; will filed dated October 29, 1930.

CRIMINAL COURT—Mr. Justice Daniel W. O'Donoghue, presiding; Wm. S. Adkins, clerk.

No. 58834. U. S. vs. Earl O. Keyser; nolle prossequi entered.

No. 51299. U. S. vs. Malcolm Harris Wilmer; nonsupport; recognizance $300, Milton S. Kronheim, surety taken.

No. G. J. 91122. U. S. vs. Roy Caten; recognizance $500, P. F. O'Connor, surety taken.

Adjourned from day to day.

LAWSUITS.

No. 80691. Lawrence A. Brooks vs. Sol A. Simmons et al.; damages, $15,000. Atty., John S. Barbour.

No. 80692. Vallin C. Ray vs. U. S. A.; policy. Atty., W. E. Miller.

No. 80693. Jos. Douglas McIvor vs. The Black & White Taxi Co. et al.; damages, $10,000. Atty., M. W. King.

No. 80694. Henry J. Robb vs. Leonard J. Shackleford et al.; note, $2,508.73. Atty., Geo. C. Ober, jr.

DOCKETED JUDGMENT.

No. 2027. Dinkelman-Bubert Co. vs. Mrs. Bessie Reiness; judgment Municipal Court, $71.81. Atty., H. W. Wheatley.

MECHANIC'S LIENS.

No. 15039. Heffron Co. vs. (Mrs.) Sarah Stokes Halkett; 2112 S st. nw.; $295.

EQUITY SUITS.

No. 53844. International Cigar Machinery Co. vs. T. E. Robertson; patent. Attys., J. A. Stone, G. S. Hastings.

No. 53845. Garnett R. Hudson vs. Elsie L. Hudson et al.; absolute divorce. Atty., S. Hirshman.

No. 53846. Ruth K. Abrams vs. William A. Stewart; cancel title. Atty., R. M. Hudson.

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Junior Misses' Coats
$25 to $39.50 Values
$19
The successful young fashions of this season, including broad, notched, and lei collars, molded bodices—everything to give long, slim lines and trim smartness. Furred in a manner that will amaze you. Kit fox, caracul, pointed wolf, and flattering, long fluffy furs. Spanish tile, black, brown, green; 11 to 17.

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$49.50 to $59.50 Coats
$35
These were best sellers at their original prices—now $35! Beautiful woolens and long lei collars of squirrel and fox. Broad collars and wide sleeves with natural tipped skunk, brown fox, black fox, wolf, squirrel. Plenty of black and brown; also green and Spanish tile. All sizes . . . misses, women, little women, larger women.

In the Better Coat Shops
$59.50 to $79.50 Values
$48
Coats that are rich in fabric as well as furs! Not ordinary boucles, but those from leading mills . . . Forstmann . . . Holden and Leonard . . . Botany! Large and luxurious trimmings . . . fox, skunk, Canadian wolf, Persian lamb, kit fox, beaver, kolinsky, and genuine Alaska seal. Distinctive styles and sizes for misses, women, little women and larger women. $19

COATS—SECOND FLOOR

PAYMENT OF BONDS AIDS CUBA'S CREDIT

Country Meets $6,250,000 Maturity on Road Issues Borrowed in U. S.

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Not even the 1931 cost involved in quelling a revolutionary outbreak, coupled with the trials imposed by worldwide business recession, has proved enough to block Cuba's determination to keep its government credit slate clean.

This was established today when it was learned that money had been received at the Chase National Bank to meet a year-end maturity of $6,250,000 Cuban Highway bonds and also to take care of the island republic's interest on funded debt.

Bankers interested in Cuban government loans, underwritten by Chase National Bank, J. P. Morgan & Co., and Speyer & Co., expressed belief the payment not only would maintain Cuba's present satisfactory credit rating, but would strengthen it. Troubles faced by the sugar industry and the tourist business, both vital to Cuban prosperity, made this performance difficult.

Of the original total of about $200,000,000 of bonds issued in this country for the Cuban Government account, $60,000,000 will have been paid back by next January 1.

This month's $6,250,000 maturity represents one of a series of the government's highway loans.

The highway financing project was financed by Chase National Bank, originally in the form of short term bank loans to the Cuban government. These totaled $100,000,000, of which $80,000,000 was converted into longer term bond issues. The $20,000,000 balance remains as a bank loan.

Suit Against Pullman Still Pending in Mexico

Mexico City, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—A suit against the Pullman Co. for civil damages, brought by Foreign Minister Genaro Estrada, is pending in the Fourth District Court and the Pullman Co. has not been fined 50,000 pesos as was erroneously reported recently. The foreign minister was reported to have found that a drawing room he had reserved from Monterey last October was occupied by two Americans when he boarded the train.

Undersecretary of Communications Carlos Blake fined the National Railways of Mexico 500 pesos for permitting the Pullman Co. allegedly to violate three articles of the general communications law, but levied no fine against the Pullman Co., as erroneously reported by the Associated Press. The foreign minister brought a civil action for 10,000 pesos damages against the Pullman Co. on October 14 and the case is still pending. The Associated Press is glad to make the correction.

Rebellion Smolders in Vera Cruz.

Mexico City, Dec. 29 (U.P.).—La Prensa's Orizaba correspondent reports that 50 armed men left Zongoloica, Vera Cruz State, apparently bent on joining the rebel leader, Toma Sosa, who is operating in the vicinity against the local government. The men were said to have been led by Antonio Suarez, commander of police, and Mayor Santos Vasquez. Inmates were released from the jails at Zongoloica by the group before it departed.

Chilean Farmers Suspend Payments.

Talca, Chile, Dec. 29 (U.P.).—Farmers of the normally rich central valley zone have decided to suspend payments on all their obligations while the federal government's moratorium on internal debts is effective. They said present low prices for their products made it necessary to suspend payments or to lay off their laborers, and they preferred to do the former.

Mexican Students to Visit U. S.

Mexico City, Dec. 28 (U.P.).—A committee of four students representing the National University of Mexico will leave soon to visit educational institutions in Washington, D. C., Boston, New York, Pittsburgh, Chicago, St. Louis, Dallas, Fort Worth, and San Antonio. They will carry a message to President Hoover from President Pascual Ortiz Rubio.

Six Reds Arrested in Chile.

Coquimbo, Chile, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Six Communist leaders were arrested today and confessed they had planned to start a revolt here on Christmas morning at the same time as the outbreak at Copiapo. Another Communist was killed at Sotaqui when he attempted to evade arrest. An exchange of shots resulted in the wounding of one Carabinero.

Brazil to Merge Services.

Rio de Janeiro, Dec. 29 (U.P.).—The Brazilian postoffice and national telegraph services will be merged January 1. Mailmen will deliver telegrams and telegraph offices will in most cases be in postoffice buildings, thus making a considerable economy for the government.

Air Mail May Go to La Paz.

(Associated Press.)

Postmaster General Brown has promised Dr. Luis O. Abeill, Bolivian Minister, that he will discuss with Pan-America Airways officials the possibility of extending the present South American air mail line to La Paz.

Rail Concession Canceled.

Tegucigalpa, Honduras, Dec. 29 (U.P.).—The concession granted the United Fruit Co. in 1912 to build a railroad from Progreso south through the banana region, has been canceled on the grounds the concern had failed to fulfill its obligations.

Yoshizawa is on Way to Tokyo.

Berlin, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Kenkichi Yoshizawa left tonight for Moscow on the way to Tokyo, where he will become foreign minister in the new Japanese cabinet.

Sidney Lanier's Widow, 87, Dies at Greenwich

Greenwich, Conn., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Mrs. Mary Day Lanier, 87, widow of Sidney Lanier, poet, died here today at the home of her son, Charles D. Lanier.

Mrs. Lanier, a native of Macon, Ga., gave many public readings of her husband's poems following his death. She came to Greenwich 35 years ago. Mrs. Lanier had been an invalid for eight years.

Previously to establishing a residence here she had resided in Baltimore, Lynn, N. C., and Tryon, N. C. Her husband, one of the best known of the Southern poets, died in Lynn in 1881.

Knoxville to Provide Supreme Court Stone

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The Knoxville News Sentinel said today the Gray Knox Marble Co., of Knoxville, has been awarded a contract to provide aprpoximately $1,500,000 worth of marble for the new United States Supreme Court Building at Washington.

The marble, of cream color, will be used in the interior, the newspaper said.

ARMY FLIER'S FATE REMAINS MYSTERY

Four-Day Hunt in West Virginia Mountains Fails to Uncover Clew.

Elkins, W. Va., Dec 29 (A.P.).—The West Virginia mountains tonight still concealed the fate of Lieut. E. H. Bobbitt, jr., Army aviator, more than four days after he disappeared.

Afoot and by air, searchers scanned fastnesses on Cheat Mountain and the Allegheny Plateau country to the north without finding a trace of man or ship.

Lieut. Bobbitt disappeared Christmas day while winging from Selfridge Field, Mich., to Hot Springs, Va., for a holiday reunion with his parents.

While Army fliers from Selfridge and Bolling Fields skimmed over the wooded country, ground searching parties went up Cheat Mountain to the Spruce Knob area, hitherto unexplored. State police said they had traced Bobbitt's ship to that vicinity, and that it had not been reported beyond.

Three residents of Mount Storm, 25 miles southwest of Keyser, reported they saw a ship apparently in distress late Christmas Day. Preparations were made to examine that district also. Mount Storm is northeast of Elkins.

Discovery of a wrecked airplane along Keyser's Ridge Maryland, by fliers from Bolling Field led to the belief today that a clue to Bobbitt's fate had been found, but later it was learned the wreckage was that of a civilian ship that fell two yrars ago.

The flights of Selfridge Field fliers were centered, meanwhile, about Sunrise and territory southeast of Marlinton. Weather conditions cleared this morning, making flights possible for the first time in two days.

Darrow Refuses Case As Society's Counsel

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Clarence Darrow's refusal to associate himself with the International Labor Defense today dimmed prospects of his coming to the defense of eight Scottsboro negroes under death sentences for attacks on two white girls.

Representatives of the International Labor Defense, in turn, said they would not permit him to enter the case as an attorney employed by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, but would welcome his aid if he appeared independent of the association.

Convicine, Aid to Plants, Is Isolated by Professor

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Convicine, a substance vital to plant growth, has been isolated by Prof. Treat B. Johnson of Yale University.

He announced his discovery today at the Organic Symposium of the American Chemical Society. It is probable, he said, the substance characterizes fundamental chemical changes taking place in growth during the processes of seed germination. Convicine was isolated after Prof. Johnson had repeated the processes by which Ritthausen, the German chemist, discovered in 1870 vicine, a substance with which it is associated.

Budget Cuts Ordered For North Carolina

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The State Budget Bureau today sent a memorandum to all State departments and institutions giving notice that budget allotments will be sharply cut.

The definite amount of the cut was not given, but the memorandum said the "possibility of spending as much as even 70 per cent of the appropriations for this fiscal year is rather remote." The General Assembly of 1931 appropriated $29,251,764. The Budget Bureau is empowered to make a general cut of all appropriations in case revenues are not sufficient to meet them.

Southards Back From Trek.

Addis Ababa, Abyssinia, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—American Minister Addison E. Southard, of Louisville, Ky., and Mrs. Southard have returned to the capital from a six-weeks caravan trek through the remote interior of Abyssinia.

COLDS THAT DEVELOP INTO PNEUMONIA

Persistent coughs and colds lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

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Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of persistent coughs and colds, bronchial asthma, bronchitis and other forms of respiratory diseases, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if any cough or cold, no matter of how long standing, is not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. (adv.)

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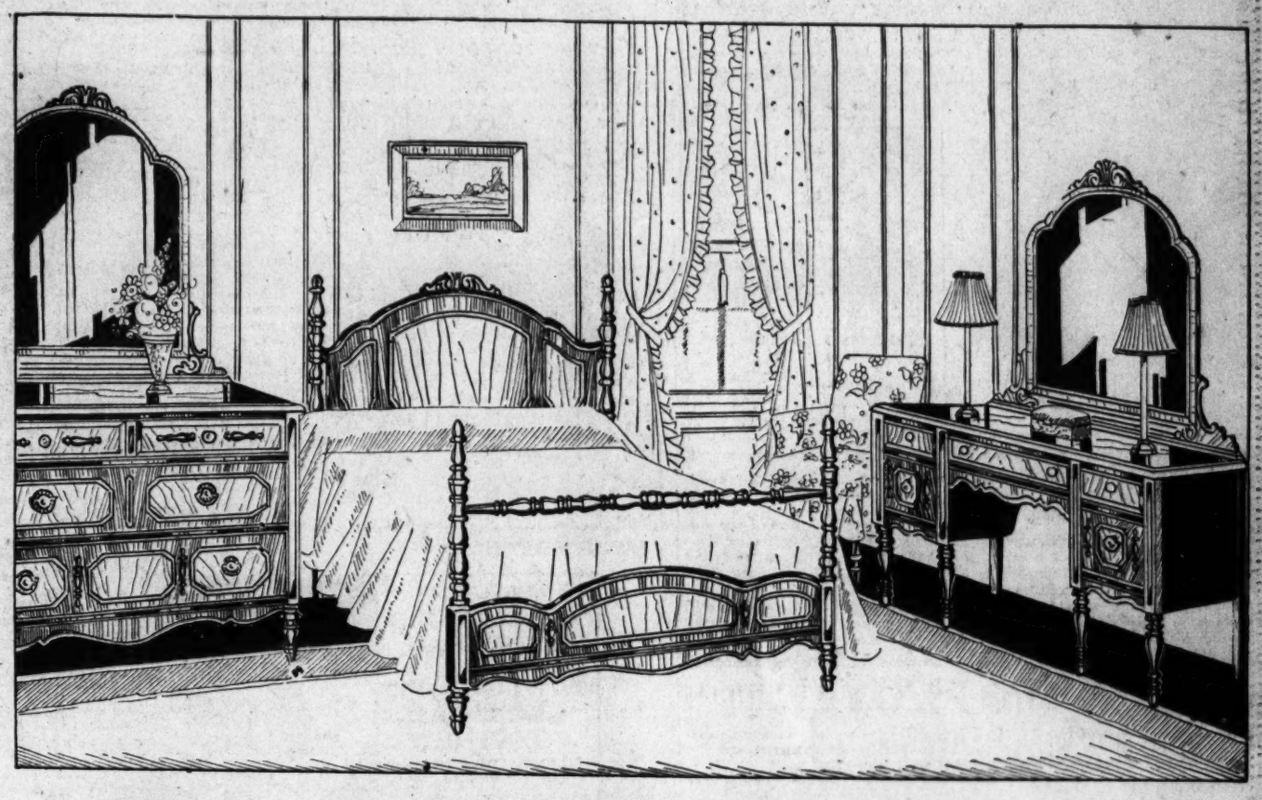

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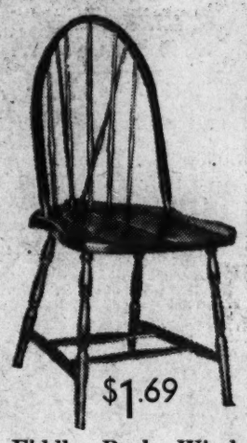

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10-Piece Walnut Veneered Dining Suite; with two-tone decorations . . $74.50

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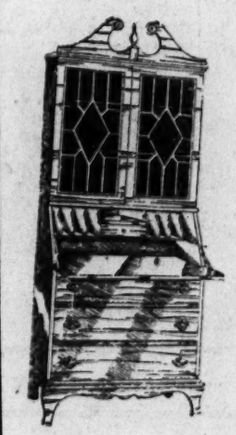

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COUNT FERDINAND VON ZEPPELIN WHO HAS TRIED FOR FIFTY YEARS TO FLY, IS REPORTED PRACTICALLY PENNILESS — WILL TRY ONCE AGAIN NEXT YEAR — ADV'S ITEM.
BEATRICE HERFORD GIVES NEW YORK ITS ANNUAL TREAT AND OPENS AT THE LYCEUM THEATER IN HER ORIGINAL MONOLOGUES.
LEOPOLD STOKOWSKI, THE TWENTY-FOUR-YEAR-OLD CHOIR MASTER AT ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH, MADISON AND 44TH ST., NEW YORK, IS ONE OF THE BEST AMATEUR BOXERS IN THE CITY.
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DECEMBER 30, 1906.

Twenty people were killed and more than 100 injured in a railroad accident on the Baltimore & Ohio road at Terra Cotta Station, 3 miles outside of Baltimore. Many of the injured are expected to die as a result of the worst railroad accident in this section's history in which a freight train telescoped a passenger train bound for Fredericktown, Md.

King Edward has signed the appointment of James Bryce as Ambassador to Washington and the fiery statesman, who has not been sparing in his criticism of the country to which he is coming, will soon take up his duties at the British Embassy.

THE ONCE OVER

By H. I. PHILLIPS

SEASONAL SUPPLICATIONS.

THIS my prayer for '32:
Much less "red" and lots more "blue;"
That there'll be a little less
Talk about bad business;
That the stock and bond list may
Try a trip the other way;
That the Chinese and the Japs
May get sensible, perhaps;
That the folks of Germany
May escape insolvency;
That there'll be no monkey wrench
Tossed by the distrustful French—
And that folks with faith and hope
Won't be called "Ya silly dope!"

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This my ardent New Year's plea:
Longer drives from tee to tee;
That the new ball, weighing more,
Will not add much to your score;
That Mahatma Gandhi will
Not catch cold or get a chill;
That the British tariff wall
May not be so very tall;
That both Chile and Peru
Will have revolutions few;
That the Cubans will not throw
Bombs too close to Sloppy Joe;
That King Carol will forgive
Brothers who must love and live.

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THIS my January wish:
That I will not be a fish,
Going through the coming year
Full of worries, full of fear;
That I may not be a sill,
And buy any stocks until
There's an upward spurt in trade
That will help 'em make the grade;
That I'll very grateful be
For a job and salary;
That if I can keep my health
I won't care who keeps the wealth;
That I'll resolutely shun
All my "squawks" of '31.

This my supplication now
As the old year takes a bow:
That the fog may fade away
Bringing in a brighter day;
That Dame Fortune time may take
To give Hoover (Herb) a break;
That before I'm sick of it
Culbertson and Lenz will quit;
That I may hear less and less
Of the views of Mr. Fess;
That a railroad here and there
May pick up a passengerair;
That, in short, folks, '32
Will put on an act that's new!

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NO BACK-SEAT DRIVING HERE.

A NEW JERSEY man has completed a trip around the world with his wife by airplane. The success of the voyage is attributed to the fact that the roar of the engine made any suggestions about the route inaudible.

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MODERN SHORT STORY OF THE UNDERWORLD.

Bang! Bang! Two shots rang out. The racketeer pitched forward dead, and before the echo of the shots had died away his sweetheart had signed up to write a confession story of their lives.

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SUGGESTION FOR A SIGN OVER A DISPLAY OF BARGAIN-PRICED NEW YEAR'S CARDS: ALL YOU CAN GREET FOR 60 CENTS!

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The Federal Trade Commission has issued a ruling that advertisements carrying indorsements by celebrities must state the price paid for the testimonials. This will mean that a lot of well-known people will feel terribly embarrassed unless they jack up their rates at once.

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Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

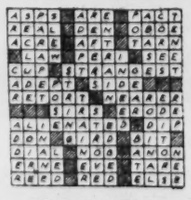
ACROSS

1 From a great distance
5 To chill
8 Prepares the bearing surfaces of a stone
12 A saxhorn
13 Plan in detail
14 On side opposite wind
15 Seed covering
16 For
17 Detritus containing precious metal
18 Foretoken
19 An anarchist
20 Conduct periodical
21 Happen
22 Vertical part of stair
24 Preceding period
25 Abates
27 Give instructions for
29 Astern
30 A bitter draft
31 A fabric
34 Impatient
38 A staff for measuring
39 Pass rod through aperture
41 Japanese coin
42 Border on
44 Gnawed
45 Class
46 A spice
47 Title of knights
48 Projecting part of a building
49 A pretext
50 Before
51 A departing traveler
52 Covers with turf
53 Lived through
54 Annexes

DOWN

1 A kettledrum
2 Rage
3 Dwells
4 Sound in addition to that of respiration
5 Impress
6 Fondle
7 The after song
8 Invited
9 Cut off final syllable
10 Receive
11 Kind of dog
22 Attribute
23 Stir forcibly
26 Weaken
28 Steep flax
30 Venerated
31 Restrains the action
32 American tropical food-fish
33 Evolved
34 Sink out of sight
35 A crustacean
36 Proficient
37 Joins
40 Frame holding canvas upright
43 Prepared leaves of a shrub (pl.)
45 A Scandinavian heroic story

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.



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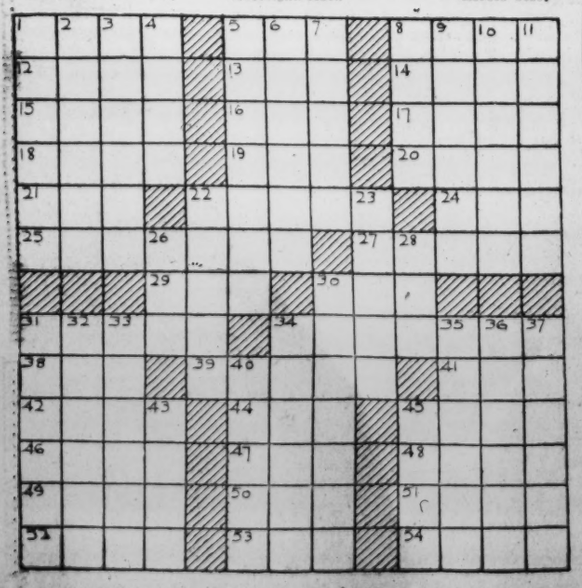

BUCK ROGERS, 2432 A. D. — *Flim-Flam Exposed* — *More strange adventures in a full color page every Sunday.* — *By Phil Nowlan and Dick Calkins*

FRIGHTENED BY OUR PURSUIT, SPACE-YACHT NO-13 - THE CRAFT OF THE CONSPIRATORS HAD DODGED BEHIND RHEA, FIFTH MOON OF SATURN - BUT WHEN WE ALSO ROUNDED THE MOON, WE FOUND ONLY A CRAFT MARKED "78" - WE HAD LOST THE TRAIL.
FOR DAYS WE WEAVED IN AND OUT AMONG THE ORBITS OF THE NINE MOONS OF SATURN, HAILING EVERY CRAFT.
NO - YOU BLITHERING GROUNDHOG! CAN'T YOU SEE THIS ISN'T ONE OF THE EMPEROR'S NEW-FANGLED ROCKET SHIPS?
OH VERY WELL!
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THEN SUDDENLY DEX GOT A HUNCH.
HEY, WAIT A MINUTE! - WHOM DO YOU WANT TO RADIO TO? - THAT'S HUER'S PRIVATE CHANNEL YOU'RE TUNING IN!
YES, I KNOW! - I WANT TO ASK THE EMPEROR SOMETHING.
HE DROPPED THE RECEIVER LIKE A HOT POTATO!
HUH??
WHAT THE -
HEH? - YES - THIS IS HUER-YACHT 78? - THERE ISN'T ANY! - HEH! - I ONLY BUILT FIFTY - HEH! - MUST HAVE CHANGED THE NUMBER ON YOU! - HEH!! - NOW WHERE YOU GOING TO LOOK FOR THEM? - AND NOW WHAT GOOD IS THAT DEVICE YOU HAVE IN YOUR POCKET, BUCK? HEH?
TO BE CONTINUED

GASOLINE ALLEY — *Don't miss this feature in colors in The Sunday Post.* — *How News Does Travel*

WHAT DOES A LOPE MEAN? IT MEANS A KIND OF A SLOW GALLOP THAT A HORSE DOES.
GEE, I'D LIKE TO SEE THOSE TWO DO IT.
SEE WHO DO IT?
LORA AN' PRIGGY. I HEARD 'EM SAY THEY WERE GOIN' TO LOPE.
PHYLLIS DO YOU KNOW THAT THOSE TWO YOUNG SPROUTS ARE TALKING ABOUT ELOPING!
THERE'S NO DANGER NOW, WALT. I'VE JUST HAD A TALK WITH LORA
IF I CATCH THAT YOUNG WHIPPER-SNAPPER AROUND HERE I'LL —
NO YOU WON'T, WALT. LORA WON'T ELOPE UNLESS YOU WORK UP TOO MUCH SYMPATHY FOR PRIGGY.
12-30
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MINUTE MOVIES — (All rights protected by the George Matthew Adams Service. Trade Mark Registered U. S. Patent Office.) — *By Ed Wheelan*

ED WHEELAN presents CAPT. KIDDER'S TWO-PART TRAVELOG
WITH GUN AND GUNNY-SACK THRU HILLY HOOIELAND
IT WAS LATE ONE FRIDAY AFTERNOON THAT I OUTFITTED AT OHOH AND STARTED DOWN THE UHUH RIVER WITH MY "AHAHS" (HOOIEN HELPERS)
GIVE IT GAS, BOYS! DUSK WILL SOON BE UPON US!
THAT NIGHT WE CAMPED AT A WELL-KNOWN WATER HOLE, AND BRIGHT AND EARLY THE NEXT DAY I STARTED MY SAFARI UP MOUNT LUM-BAGO, THE HIGHEST HILL IN ALL HOOIELAND FROM WHOSE PROUD PEAK I GOT A SWELL VIEW OF THE OCEAN ETC.
BY GEORGE, THERE'S A GROUP OF "SPONGERS"!
THRU MY GLASSES I COULD EASILY DISTINGUISH THE PICTURESQUE OUTFITS OF THE NATIVE "GOOPHS" (SPONGE-SPEARERS), AS THEY SIGHTED A SCHOOL OF WILD SPONGES IN THE OFFING AND PREPARED TO PURSUE THE POROUS PUPILS
LATER IN THE DAY WE ARRIVED AT LAKE UM-BUMDUMBO WHERE WE CAME UPON THREE NATIVE BUS-BOYS SNARING FRESH WATER SHRIMP, A RACKET WHICH IS ILLEGAL IN HOOIELAND — NOTE THE EXPRESSIONS OF CHAGRIN, ETC.
OOTCHA-MAGOOTCHA !!!
UP TO NOW WE HAD HAD NO CHANCE TO USE OUR GUNNY-SACKS BUT IN TO-MORROW'S THRILLING REEL WE SURPRISE EVEN OURSELVES
12-30

BOBBY THATCHER — *"Here Goes!"* — *By George Storm*

GIVE MY FOOT A BOOST AND I CAN MAKE IT.
I'M A GONER IF I DO.....'N' A GONER IF I DON'T....
BUT HERE GOES
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THE GUMPS — *Follow the Gumps in the colored Comic Section of The Sunday Post.* — *Ship Ahoy!*

SIM GUMP - AUSTRALIAN BILLIONAIRE AND CHAMPION WOMAN HATER OF THE WORLD IS HAVING A TERRIBLE TIME ON HIS TRIP HOME - THE HONEYMOONERS ARE DRIVING HIM CRAZY -
THANK HEAVENS - AT LAST - FOR A BRIEF MOMENT I AM AWAY FROM THOSE LOONEY LOVE MAKERS -
FOREVER - DARLING I COULD NEVER LOVE ANOTHER MAN - TO ME YOU ARE LIKE THE SUN IS TO THE STARS - WITHOUT YOU THE WORLD MEANS NOTHING -
WITHOUT YOU I COULDN'T LIVE A SINGLE DAY - SAY THAT YOU WILL BE MINE - ALWAYS -
CAN I EVER GET AWAY FROM THESE CRAZY FOOLS? EVERYWHERE I GO - THEY'LL DRIVE ME MAD -
DOES LOVEY LOVE DOVEY AS DOVEY LOVES LOVEY?
IS THERE NO RELIEF? ANYONE CAUGHT MAKING LOVE SHOULD BE ARRESTED AND PUT IN AN INSTITUTION FOR THE FEEBLE MINDED FOR LIFE
CAN YOU COUNT THE STARS, DARLING?
LET ME SEE - THERE IS ONE - TWO - THREE -
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Baby Mine

POP SAYS A SUCCESSFUL POLITICIAN IS ONE WHO CAN BRING HOME THE BACON WITHOUT SPILLING THE BEANS.

WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER — *See the Winkle family in colors in The Sunday Post.* — *A Gentle Reminder*

JUST THINK, MR. BIBBS, TOMORROW IS THE LAST DAY OF THE YEAR, AND THEN IT WILL BE 1932
DON'T REMIND ME MISS WINKLE !! I'VE GOT PLENTY OF THINGS TO ATTEND TO NEXT YEAR !!
I OUGHT TO HAVE A NEW ROOF ON THE HOUSE AND UNDERGO THAT SINUS OPERATION !!
UH HUH -
BESIDES, 1932 IS MY HEAVY TAX YEAR AND THE MORTGAGES ON MOST OF MY PROPERTY COME DUE AND MY NOTES AT THE BANK WILL MATURE -
WELL-ER-I GUESS I'LL BE GETTING HOME !!
WELL, HAPPY NEW YEAR, MR. BIBBS !!
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BRINKER

STOCK PRICES RALLY DESPITE TAX SELLING

Gains Are Small on Leaders as Traders See Stage Set for Advance.

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The stock market perked up today, exactly canceling, on the average, Monday's decline, which had pulled prices close to the December 17 lows.

Late selling claimed about half the extreme advance, but the market was more active on the earlier rise than on the final sag, and transfers of 2,443,576 shares were the largest in ten days.

With tax selling much less noticeable, Wall Street felt that perhaps the stage was being set, earlier than usual, for the traditional year-end rally. Investment trusts are much interested in late mark-ups since their December 3 asset values shown in annual statements profit thereby. In both 1930 and 1929 sharp gains were reserved for the last two trading days.

The market got little help from the news. Wall street was much interested in Washington discussions concerning a possible repeal of the capital gains and losses tax, particularly in the suggestion that Congress might decide to make such a step retrotactive covering this year's income statements. The meeting of railroad labor representatives in Cleveland to pick a date for final negotiations was a reminder that Wall street is expecting a wage reduction and seemed to provide the leverage for a rise in carrier equities. Net gains in most instances were small. Reading weakened with the dividend reduction, although that had been expected.

In general, final prices of leading stocks represented fractional to 2-point advances. American Telephone recovered briskly, closing 2¼ higher. U. S. Steel tuoched 39⅝ before falling back to 38, where the gain was 1⅛. The preferred was stronger. American Can, Bethlehem, General Electric, Westinghouse and Standard Oil of New Jersey finished with small plus signs, while Consolidated Gas, New York Central, National Biscuit, Case, Woolworth and North American were up a point or slightly more.

Wheat gained 1 to 1¾ cents on the strength of stocks, better export buying, unfavorable rains in Argentina and reports of crop damage in Illinois. Corn was up 1¼ to 1⅝, reflecting an improved cash trade and smaller contract stocks. Cotton was helped both by shares and the grains, returning net advances of 60 to 80 cents a bale.

Foreign exchanges mostly favored the dollar. Sterling's net loss was about a cent, while the Japanese yen was down nearly 2. The French franc continued its sag.

BANKS REPORTED CLOSED.

Germantown, N. Y., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The Germantown National Bank closed its doors today and asked the Comptroller of Cuurrency to take over its affairs. Loss of confidence as a result of the discovery last year that Clyde De Witt, convicted Columbia county treasurer, had misappropriated $64,000 of the bank's funds, was given as the reason for the closing of the bank. De Witt, at that time, was vice president of the institution. The bank's deposits total approximately $400,000.

Cincinnati, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The Bank of Harrison, at Harrison, near here, one of the few unincorporated banks in Ohio was closed today by the State Banking Department. Frozen assets caused the institution to close, Examiner B. J. Schurr said.

Schurr said the bank had capital stock of $10,000, assets of $116,000; surplus $28,900; loans outstanding, $82,000; deposits on commercial account $50,000 and deposits of certificates $1,500.

The bank, owned by Frank W. Bowles, was started in 1885.

Hart, Mich., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The Oceanic County Savings Bank failed to open for business today. Herbert S. Newton, president of the bank, said there had been a steady withdrawal of funds recently. The bank listed assets of $515,000 and deposits of $361,000 in its last statement of condition.

A decrease of 40 per cent in November net operating income is shown in the returns of the first 67 railroads to report for that month as compared with a year ago. The aggregate net operating income was $33,891,000, contrasted with $57,250,000 in the same month last year, and $60,112,000 in October of this year.

LOCAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Sales—Regular call, 11:15 a. m.: Washington Gas 6s "A," $1,000 at 100. Capital Traction Co., 20 at 18½, 30 at 18⅝.
Washington Gas 5s, $1,000 at 100¼.
Potomac Elec. 5½% pfd., 5 at 102¾.
Federal Storage pfd., 4 at 100, 4 at 100, 2 at 100.
After call:
Washington Gas 5s, '60, $1,000 at 100¼.

BONDS. PUBLIC UTILITIES.	Bid.	Ask.
Amn. Tel. & Tel. 4½s	106	.....
Amn. Tel. & Tel. ctf. tr.	100	.....
Anacostia & Pot. R. R. 5s	58	62
Ana. & Pot. guar. 5s	88	95
C. & P. Tel. of Va. 5s	100	105
Capital Traction R. R. 5s	60	62
City & Suburban 5s	58	62
Georgetown Gas Lt. 1st 5s	100	.....
Potomac Elec. Cons. 5s	100	101½
Potomac Elec. 5s, 1953	104	.....
Wash. Alex. & Mt. Vernon ctf	2	.....
Washington Gas 4½s	97	99
Washington Gas 5s	99¾	100½
Wash. Gas 6s, Series A	100	100¾
Wash. Gas 6s, Series B	103¼	104
Wash. Ry. & Elec 4s	76	78½
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Barber & Ross, Inc., 6½s	70	.....
Chevy Chase Club 5½s	99	100½
Col. Country Club 1st 5½s	100	103
Wash. Market Cold Stge. 5s	94	.....
STOCKS. PUBLIC UTILITY.		
*Amer. Tel. & Tel	114	.....
*Capital Traction Co	18	21
Washington Gas Light Co	100	.....
*Nor. & Wash. Steamboat	150	210
Pot. Elec. Power pfd.	109	.....
Pot. Elec. Power pfd. 5½%	102½	104
Wash. Ry. & El. com	325	.....
Wash. Ry. & El. pfd.	87	90
	Min. price.	Ask.
NATIONAL BANKS.		
Capital	175	250
Columbia	375	425
Commercial (stamped)	183	200
*District	196	210
Fed.-Amer. Natl. Bk. & Tr.	42⅞	45
Liberty	190	210
*Lincoln	400	440
Metropolitan	275	310
Riggs	350	360
Second	165	195
Washington	180	220
TRUST COMPANIES.		
Amer. Security & Trust	299	315
Continental Trust	.....	115
Natl. Sav. & Trust	375	400
Prince Georges Bk & Tr	28	40
*Union Trust	191	220
Wash. Loan & Trust	400	440
SAVINGS BANKS.		
*Bank of Bethesda	53	60
*Commerce & Savings	325	.....
East Washington	20	35
*Potomac Savings (new)	55	75
Sec. Sav. & Commercial	435	500
Seventh Street	280	.....
*United States	530	630
Washington Mechanics	50	60
FIRE INSURANCE.		
American	275	.....
Corcoran	150	.....
Firemen's	37	45
*National Union	14½	16
TITLE INSURANCE.		
Columbia	7	10¼
Real Estate	145	160
MISCELLANEOUS.		
*Col. Medical Bldg. Corp.	90	105
*Col. Sand & Gravel pfd.	90	.....
D. C. Paper Mfg Co pfd	.....	.....
Dist. Natl. Sec pfd	65	75
*Emerson Bromo-Seltzer (a)	24	28
Federal Storage pfd	100	110
*Fed.Amer. Co. com	19	22
*Fed.-Amer. Co. pfd	90	93
Lanston Monotype	64	65
*Mer. Tr. & Stge. com	93	102
*Mer. Tr. & Stge. pfd	87	89
*Mergenthaler Linotype	55	60
Natl. Mtge & Inv pfd.	3¾	4½
Peoples Drug Stores pfd.	78	81
Real Est. M. & G. pfd.	6	6¾
Security Storage	100	105½
Ter. Ref. & Wh. Corp	42	50
*The Carpel Corp	14½	18½
Wash. Mech. Mtge Co. com	¾	.....
*Wash. Med. Bldg. Corp.	90	105
*Woodward & Lothrop com	29½	35
*Wedgward & Lothrop pfd	107	112

*Ex dividend.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS OF YESTERDAY

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Last	Chg.	Bid
2250 Del Lack & W (2) AS	21	20	20	— ½	19½
3 Den R G & W pf	5	5	5	.....	4½
5 Detroit Ed (8)	114¾	112	114¾	— ¼	111¾
7 Diamond Mat (1)	13¼	13	13¼	+ ⅜	13¼
6 Diam Mat pf (1½)	23½	23	23⅜	+ 1⅜	23
1 Dome Mines (1)	7½	7½	7½	+ ¼	7½
6 Dominion St (1½b)	14⅜	14	14¼	+ ¼	14⅜
6 Douglas Aire (1)	8	7½	7½	— ⅛	7⅞
1 Dresser A (3½)	20⅞	20⅜	20⅜	— ⅛	20½
4 Dresser B (2)	11⅛	11	11¼	— ⅛	10½
41 Drug Inc (4)	52¼	50	51¼	+ 1¼	51⅜
5 Dunhill Int	2⅛	2	2	.....	2
8 Duplan Silk (1)	10	10	10	.....	10
226 du Pont de Nem (4)	53⅝	52⅜	54¼	+ 1½	54⅛
3 du Pont deb (6)	97	96⅝	97	.....	96⅜
E					
3 Eastern Roll	3	2¾	3	.....	2¾
43 Eastman Kod (8b)	81½	77¾	80¼	+ 1⅜	80
20 East Kod pf (6) AS	112¾	112	112	.....	112
15 Eaton Ax & S (1)	5¾	5½	5½	.....	5½
2 Eldingon Sch	2¼	2⅛	2¼	— ⅛	2⅛
8 Elding Sch pf	52¼	52	52	— ⅛	52
87 Elec Auto L (4)	30½	29	29⅞	+ ⅞	29¾
9 Elec Boat	1	⅞	1	+ ⅛	⅞
119 El Pow & Lgt (1)	11⅞	10⅝	11½	+ ¾	11⅛
6 El P & L 6% pf (6)	45¼	43	43½	— 2½	43
6 El P & L pf (7)	50	48¼	50	— ¼	49
7 Elec Stor B (4)	26¼	25⅛	25½	— ⅛	25
18580 Elec && Mus AS (2)	3	2⅞	3	+ ⅛	3n
50 Emporium Cap AS (z)	3	3	3	.....	.....
5 Endicott John (3)	25½	24½	25	.....	25
1 Eng Pub Ser (1.60)	19½	19½	19½	.....	16
1 Eng P S 5½% pf (5½)	42	42	42	— ⅜	40⅝
1 Eng P S 5½% pf (5½)	42	42	42	.....	42
1 Equit Office Bldg (2½)	19	19	19	.....	19
9 Erie R R	5⅞	5½	5½	— ⅛	5½
11 Erie 1st pf	7	6⅞	7	.....	6½
6 Eureka Vac Cl	3½	3¼	3¼	— ⅛	3⅛
2 Evans Prod	1¼	1¼	1¼	— ⅛	1¼
20 Exchange Buff (1) AS (z)	11¾	11⅛	11¾	+ ⅛	11¼
F					
1 Fash Park As	1½	1½	1½	+ ⅛	1
1 Fash Park pf	5½	5½	5½	+ ⅛	5½
1 Fed Lt & Tr (1½a)	20½	20½	20½	+ 1	18
20 Fed Min & Sm AS	26	26	26	.....	20
25 Federal Mot (.20)	3	2¾	2¾	— ¼	2¾
3 Fed Screw	1¾	1¾	1¾	.....	1¾
11 Federal Wat S	3½	3½	3½	.....	3½
1225 Federated D St (¼h) AS	12¼	12	12¼	— 1¼	12
21 Fid F Fire Ins (2.60)	27	27	27	+ 3¾	25
20 Fidelity S Bd pf (6½) AS (z)	90	90	90	.....	.....
13 Firestone T & R (1)	14½	13⅝	14¼	+ ⅛	14
6 Firestone T & R pf (6)	53⅜	51¼	53⅜	+ 2⅜	53¼
15 First Nat St (2½)	46¾	46	46½	— ⅛	46
15 Fisk Rubber	1¼	¾	¾	.....	¾
280 Fisk R 1st pf AS (z)	½	½	½	.....	½
90 Fisk R 1st pf cvt AS (z)	⅜	⅜	⅜	.....	⅜
1 Follansbee	4	4	4	.....	4
1 Food Mach (1)	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛	5
8 Foster Wheel	9	8½	9	.....	7
12 Fourth Nat Inv (1.10)	17⅜	17¼	17½	.....	17½
222 Fox Film A	2¾	2½	2¾	.....	2⅝
38 Freeport Tex (3)	16¼	15¾	16⅛	.....	16
G					
6 Gabriel A	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	— ⅛	1
170 Gamewell (3) AS (z)	17	15	17	+ 1¼	16
30 Gen Am Invest	2¼	2⅛	2¼	— ⅛	2⅛
27 Gen Am Tank (4)	30½	29	30⅝	+ 1⅛	29¾
29 Gen Asphalt (2)	11⅝	11	11¾	+ ⅜	11
59 Gen Bak (2)	13	12	12¾	+ ½	12
30 Gen Bak pf (8) AS (z)	98	98	98	+ 3	97
16 Gen Bronze	2⅜	2	2	— 1	2⅛
3 Gen Cable	2⅛	2	2	.....	1⅞
4 Gen Cable A	4	3⅝	3⅞	+ ¼	3½
280 Gen Cable pf AS (z)	15⅛	11⅞	15	.....	12½
7 Gen Cigar (4)	29¼	29	29¼	+ ⅛	29
342 Gen El (1.60)	25⅝	24⅝	24⅝	+ ⅛	20
9 Gen El spl (.60)	11	10⅞	11	+ ⅛	10⅞
46 Gen Foods (3)	32⅛	31⅝	32⅛	+ ⅛	32½
2617 Gen G & El A (6% j) AS	1¾	1½	1⅝	— ⅛	1⅝
6 Gen C & El cv pf (6)	19¾	16½	19¾	+ 3⅝	18½
2 Gen Ital Ed (2.6Ih)	21¼	21	21¼	+ ¼	21¼
4 Gen Mills (3)	30	29¾	30	.....	30
61394 Gen Motor (3) AS	23½	22	22⅝	+ ⅜	22⅝
2 Gen Motor pf (5)	83	82	83	+ 1	82
16 Gen Out Adv	4	3⅝	4	.....	3½
100 Gen Print Ink (2) AS (z)	13	13	13	— 1	12
50 Gen Pr Ink pf ww (6) AS(z)	49	49	49	— 1	45
16 Gen Pub Serv	3½	2⅞	3½	+ ½	3¼
24 Gen Rail Sig (5)	24¾	22	23	.....	23
16 Gen Real & Ut	¾	¾	¾	.....	¾
2342 Gen Real & U pf AS	14	14	14	— ½	13½
3 Gen Refract (1)	13¾	13	13¾	— ⅛	13
100 Gen St Cast pf AS (z)	14	14	14	— 2	5
18 Gen Thea Eq	½	½	½	.....	½
85 Gillette Safety R	11¾	10½	11¼	+ ¾	11¼
2 Gillette cv pf (5)	50	48¼	50	+ 3⅞	50
4650 Gimbel Bros AS	2⅜	2⅛	2⅛	— ⅜	2⅛
2 Gimbel pf (7)	29½	29	29	.....	28
12 Glidden Co	4¾	4⅝	4⅝	— ⅛	4
10 Globe Underwr (.60)	6	5⅞	6	+ ⅛	6
45 Gold Dust (2½)	17¾	17¼	17½	— ⅛	17¼
4395 Goodrich AS	3¾	3½	3⅝	+ ⅛	3⅝
4 Goodrich pf	11	10½	10½	+ ½	10¼
21 Goodyear T (3)	16½	14½	15⅞	+ 1½	15
4 Goodyear T 1st pf (7)	46	44	46	+ 1⅝	45
1 Gotham Silk H	1¼	1¼	1¼	— ⅛	1¼
7 Gould Coup A	7	7	7	— ⅛	⅜
67 Graham Paige	3½	3½	3⅜	— ⅛	3¼
1250 Granby Con M (.50)	6	5⅝	5⅞	— ⅛	5½
10 Grand Sil St	2	1⅞	2	.....	2
4 Grand Union	7¼	7¼	7¼	.....	7¼
750 Grand Un pf (3) AS	24½	24	24½	+ 2	24
5 Grant (W T) (1)	26½	25½	25¾	— ¾	25½
79 Gt No Ry pf (4h) XD	17½	16	15⅝	— ⅜	16
17 Gt Nor Ir Ore ctf (2)	12¼	11½	11⅝	— ⅛	11⅝
32 Gt West Sug	6¼	6	6	.....	6
490 Gt West Sug pf (7) AS(z)	76	74	74	— 2	73
16 Grigsby	1¼	1⅛	1⅛	.....	1¼
2 Guantan Sug	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....	⅛
6 Gulf Mob & N	4	3½	3½	— 2½	3
10 Gulf Mo & N pf	13	13	13	.....	4½
1 Gulf St Steel	4¾	4⅜	4⅜	— ⅛	4½
H					
40 Hack W pf A (7½) AS(z)	28	28	28	+ ½	27¼
2720 Hahn Dept St AS	1½	1⅜	1⅜	.....	1⅜
3 Hahn D St pf (6½)	15⅛	14⅝	15	+ ¾	14½
60 Hanna pf (7) AS (z)	69	69	69	.....	68
4 Hartman B	⅞	⅞	⅞	.....	⅞
200 Hawaii Pine AS (z)	9	8½	8½	— ¾	8½
1065 Hayes Body AS	1⅛	1	1	.....	1
29 Hercules Mot (.80)	6¾	5⅝	6⅝	— ½	6
80 Hercules Pow pf (7) AS (z)	95	95	95	.....	93
6 Hershey Choc (5)	80½	80	80½	+ 1	80
56 Hershey pf (5b)	78¾	78½	79	+ 1½	79½
3 Holland F (1)	10⅝	10¼	10⅝	+ ⅜	10¼
51 Hollander	6⅝	6⅜	6⅝	+ ⅛	6¾
3 Homestake M (7.80)	129½	125¾	129½	+ 1½	127
13 Houd-Her B	2¾	2⅝	2⅝	— ⅛	2½
1 Houdaille D pf (4.20)	56⅞	56	56½	.....	56½
8 Houston Oil	18	17¾	17½	+ ⅛	17½
5010 Houston Oil new AS	3⅜	3⅛	3⅜	+ ⅛	3⅜
3 Howe Sound (2)	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅜	13¾
13 Hudson & Man (3½)	28¾	26¼	28	+ 1⅝	26½
29 Hudson Mot (1)	10½	10	10⅜	+ ⅛	10⅜
24 Hupp Motor (1)	4¼	4	4⅛	— ⅛	4¼
I					
8063 Illinois Cent AS	10⅝	9⅝	10	+ ⅛	10
10 Ill Cen 1 l (4) AS (z)	25	25	25	.....	25
1 Ind Mach Corp	1	1	1	.....	1
14 Indian Refin	1½	1½	1⅜	— ⅛	1¼
6 Indust Ray (4)	23¼	22¾	22¾	+ ¼	22¾
17 Inger Rand (4)	30¾	27½	28½	+ ⅜	28½
3 Inland Stl (2)	22½	21½	22½	+ 1¼	22¼
1 Inspirat Cop	3¼	3	3	.....	3
5 Insuransh (Del) (¾b)	5¾	5¾	5¾	— ⅛	5⅜
570 Insuransh ct (Md) (.28) AS	3	2⅞	2⅞	.....	3
30 Interb Rap Tr	3½	3⅛	3⅜	.....	3
2050 Interlake Ir AS	3¾	2⅞	3¾	+ ⅜	3
33 Internat Agri	1¼	1	1	.....	1
16 Isl Agr pr pf	5½	4¾	5	+ ⅛	4⅝
22 Int Bus Mach (6a)	106	102	104	+ 2¼	104
20 Int Carrier Ltd (½)	3¼	3	3¼	+ ⅛	3⅛
19 Int Cement (3)	16¼	16	16¼	.....	16¼
30 Int Comb E	⅝	½	½	— ⅛	½
89 Int Harvest (2½)	24	22¾	23¼	+ ¼	23¼
19 Int Hydro El A (2k)	10⅛	9⅝	10⅛	+ ¼	9⅞
29 Int Match ptc pf (4)	16	14½	16	+ 1¾	16
5 Int Mer M ctfs	3	3	3	.....	3
108 Int Nick Can (2)	7⅞	7½	7¾	+ ⅜	7¾
6 Int Pap & P "A"	1	1	1	.....	⅞
12 Int Pap & P "C"	⅝	½	½	— ⅛	½
27 Int Pap & P pf	6⅞	6¼	6¾	— ⅛	6¾
3 Int Print Ink	4¾	4¼	4¼	.....	4¼
150 Int Print I pf (6) AS (z)	27½	25⅝	25⅝	.....	25½
50 Int Ry C Am AS (z)	2¼	2¼	2¼	.....	2
10 Int Ry C Am pf AS (z)	8	8	8	.....	5¼
2 Int Salt (3)	20	20	20	+ ⅜	19
12 Inter Shoe (3)	37¼	37	37¼	— ¼	37
1 Int Silver	18½	18½	18½	— ½	18
20 Int Silver (7) AS (z)	52	50	52	+ 2	50
2120 Int Tel & Tel (.60) AS	8⅛	7⅝	7⅞	+ ⅛	7¾
2 Intrst Dept St (2)	9¼	8¾	9¼	.....	.....
1 Intertype	4¾	4¾	4¾	.....	4½
35 Invest Equity	1½	1¼	1⅜	+ ⅛	1¼
2 Island Crk C (4)	15	14¾	15	.....	14½
J					
741 Jewel Tea (4½) AS	29¼	29¼	29½	— ¼	29½
63 Johns Manville (1)	17	15¾	16¼	+ ⅜	16¼
110 Jones & L S pf (7) AS (z)	80½	80	80½	+ 1¼	80
K					
6 Kan City Sou	9	8	8½	+ 1¼	8
150 Kan City S pf (4) AS	18	18	18	.....	17½
625 Karstadt Rud AS	⅜	⅜	⅜	+ ⅛	⅜
5 Kaufman Dept (1)	6	6	6	+ ½	5
10 Kayser (J) (1)	7½	7¼	7½	+ ¼	7⅛
7 Kelly Spring	1¼	1	1⅛	.....	1
350 Kelly Sp 6% pf AS (z)	17	15	15	— 5	15
160 Kelly Sp 8% pf AS (z)	10⅞	9½	10⅞	— ⅛	9½
30 Kelsey Hay Wh	3⅜	3⅛	3¼	.....	3⅛
40 Kelvinator	7¼	7	7	.....	7
200 Kendall pf (6) AS (z)	28	28	28	— 1	27½
20880 Kennecott (1) AS	10⅜	10	10⅜	— ⅜	10⅜
2 Kimberly Cl (2½)	16	16	16	.....	16
10 Kinney (G R)	2½	2	2	— 1	1½
60 Kinney pf AS (z)	8⅞	8¾	8⅞	+ ⅛	8½
24 Kresge (S S) (1.60)	15⅜	15⅛	15⅜	— ⅛	15¼
100 Kresge Dept St AS (z)	1	1	1	.....	.....
10 Noranda Mines (½)	28¼	28	28¼	+ 1¼	27½
136 Kreug & Toll (1.61)	4¾	4½	4½	.....	4½
60 Kroger Groc (1)	14¼	12¾	13⅛	+ ⅛	13⅛
L					
24 Lambert (8)	50¼	47½	49	+ 1	49
5 Lehigh Port C	5¾	5¼	5⅛	— ⅛	5
30 Lehigh P C pf (7) AS (z)	73	72¼	73	+ ¾	72¼
2 Lehigh Val R R	10⅜	10¼	10¼	— ⅛	10¾
6 Lehigh V C	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	.....	.....
1 Lehigh V C pf	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	— ½	6½
1475 Lehman Corp (2.40) AS	37	36¼	36¾	+ ½	36⅝
5 Lehn & Fink (3)	20	19¾	20	+ ¼	19⅞
9 Libbey O Ford Gl	6½	6¼	6½	+ ⅜	6¼
10 Ligg & Myers (4)	46½	45¼	46½	+ 1½	45½
44 Ligg & Myers B (4)	47¼	45¼	46	+ ¾	41
250 Lima Loco (2h) AS	15⅝	14⅜	15⅜	— 1¼	14¾
6 Link Belt (1.20)	15	14	14½	— ½	14¼
5 Liquid Carb (2)	15¼	14⅞	15¼	— ⅜	15
103 Loew's (4b)	27½	25⅝	26½	+ ¾	26¼
3 Loew's pf (6½)	66	65½	65½	+ 1¼	65
8 Loft	3	2⅞	3	+ ⅛	2⅞
1 Long Bell "A"	1⅛	1	1⅛	+ ⅛	1
10 Loose Wil Bis (3b)	31	30½	30½	— ⅜	30½
172 Lorillard (P) (1.20)	12⅝	11¾	12⅛	+ ⅜	12⅛
1 Louisiana Oil	1	1	1	.....	1
10 Louis Oil pf (6½) AS (z)	20	20	20	— 5	16
20 Louis G & E A (1¾)	20	19	20	.....	19¾
14 Lovell & Smith (4)	22¼	21¼	21½	— ¼	22
1 Ludlum Steel	5	5	5	.....	4⅞
1 Ludlum St pf	15	15	15	+ 1½	10
M					
31 Mack Trucks (1)	14⅞	13½	13⅜	+ 1⅜	14¼
17 Macy (R H) (3a)	54½	54¼	54⅜	+ 3¼	53¾
6940 Mad Sq Gar AS	2½	2	2½	.....	2
8 Magma Cop (½)	8⅛	8	8	— ⅛	8
10 Manati Sug AS (z)	⅜	⅜	⅜	.....	⅜
100 Manati Sug pf AS (z)	¾	¾	¾	— 1½	.....
44 Manh El Mod gtd	8	6⅞	7⅜	.....	7½
14 Manh Shirt (1)	5⅛	4⅞	5	+ ⅛	4¾
1232 Marine Mid (1.20) AS	9¾	9¾	9¾	.....	9¾
20 Market St Ry AS (z)	¾	¾	¾	.....	.....
4 Marlin Rock (2)	10	10	10	— ¾	10
8 Marmon Mot	1½	1¼	1¼	.....	1¼
9 Marsh Field (2½)	10½	10	10½	+ ⅛	9⅞
7 Math Alkali (2)	15½	14⅜	15½	+ ⅜	14⅜
877 May Dept St (2½) AS	16¼	15⅞	16¼	+ ⅜	16¼
4 Maytag	2	1⅞	1⅞	— ⅛	1½
3 Maytag pf ww (3)	6¾	6¼	6¼	.....	6¼
950 McCall (2½) AS	16	15½	15⅝	+ ⅛	15½
1 McCrory St (2)	19	19	19	— ⅛	16
40 McCrory St pf (6) AS (z)	54	54	54	.....	55
4 McGraw Hill	7½	7⅜	7⅜	— ⅛	7¼
42 McKeesport T (4)	47⅞	44½	46	+ ¾	46
10 McKess & Rob	4	3¾	4	+ ⅛	3¾
3 McKess & Rob pf (3½)	16½	16	16½	+ ½	16
3 McLellan St	2¾	2	2	.....	2
7 Melville Shoe (2)	16¼	16¼	16¼	+ ¼	16
14 Mengel	2¼	2⅛	2⅛	— ⅛	2
5 Mesta Mach (2)	19½	19	19½	+ ½	18
2 Metro-Gold pf (1.89)	19	19	19	+ ½	18
5 Miami Cop	3½	3	3	— ⅛	3
95 Mid-Cont Pet	5⅝	5½	5⅝	— ⅛	5½
9 Midland Steel (3)	8½	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅛	7¾
4 Minn Honey (3)	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛	15¼
4 Minn Mol Imp	1⅝	1	1⅛	+ ⅛	1¼
7 Minn M Imp pf	6⅝	6½	6½	— ⅛	6
17 Minn St P & S S M	1¾	1	1⅝	+ ⅛	1¾
110 M St P & S S M II (4) AS(z)	7	7	7	+ 1	7
15 Mo Kan T	5	4⅜	5	+ ¼	4¾
15 Mo K T pf	12⅝	11⅝	12	+ ¼	12
15 Mo Pac	7⅜	7	7⅛	+ ⅛	7
19 Mo Pac pf	13¾	13	13¼	+ ⅜	13⅜
4 Mohawk Cpt	8½	8	8⅛	— ⅛	8
11685 Montgom Ward AS	7¾	6⅞	7	— ⅛	7
5 Morrell & Co.	30½	30	30	— ⅛	22
3 Mother Lode	¼	¼	¼	.....	¼
145 Moto Met Gau	¾	¼	¾	.....	¾
1 Motor Prod (2)	22½	22⅛	22½	— ⅛	20½
4 Motor Wheel (1½)	5⅛	5	5	.....	5⅛
4 Mullins Mfg	8½	8½	8½	.....	8⅝
20 Mullins pf AS (z)	20½	20	20	— ⅛	20
5 Munsingwear (2)	12	11½	11⅝	— ⅛	11¼
2053 Murray Corp AS	6

FEDERAL BONDS SAG TO NEW LOW LEVELS

Rail Issues Fight Decline of Market; Some Loans Record Advances.

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Railway loans did their best to resurrect a fallen bond market today, but weakness of United States Government obligations and inertia of other domestic securities halted the movement. Total sales were $16,451,000.

Ten of the liberties and treasuries registered new lows for the year. The discount rate of 3½ per cent on the new issue of Treasury bills, compared with 2.59 per cent on an issue of November, reflected the year-end tightening of money rates. Uncertainty as to tax legislation and further financing was also said to have influenced much of the selling.

In the earlier trading there was considerable bidding for transportation loans, and many of the lower-priced bonds advanced substantially. Reports that the roads had arranged to meet their interest charges and that no more receiverships were probable in the near future led to spirited buying.

Near the close, however, activity in the carriers slackened and a number of them turned previous profits into losses. Atchison general 4s sold up to 86⅞ at one time, but ended the day with a loss of 1⅞ points.

Bonds that retained at least some of their gains included those of Baltimore & Ohio, Boston & Maine, Great Western, Chicago & Eastern Illinois, Northwestern, Rock Island, Erie, Great Northern, Hudson & Manhattan, Illinois Central, Missouri Pacific, New York Central, New Haven, Pennsylvania, Southern Texas Pacific, Union Pacific and Wabash.

With all the seeming upward movement in the rails, however, the average for 20 of the selected carriers closed 4-10 of a point under yesterday.

Interest in industrials and utilities continued to lag, although there were some liens that registered gains, notably Armour & Co. 4½s, and 5½, Goodrich 6s, International Match 5s and all of the International Telephone issues. American Telephone loans were soft.

Traders were of the opinion that most of the selling for income tax losses was out of the way, although there was much more of this than had been anticipated.

Foreign government bonds were irregular. British 5½s showed a slight gain, but French 7s dropped 2¼ points, German 7s advanced 3 points, but the 5½s fell half a point, Japanese government issues were down from ½ to 1⅛ points, with the exception of Oriental development loans, which gained.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Call money steady, 3 per cent all day. Time loans steady; 60 days, 3½; 3-6 months, 3½ per cent.

Prime commercial paper, 3¾@4. Bankers' acceptances unchanged.

Bar silver—Quiet and ⅛c lower at 30¼c.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

BUTTER—One-lb. prints, 36; tubs, 35.

POULTRY—Alive: Turkeys, young toms and hens, 25@28; old toms, 20@22; chickens, 3 lbs. and over, 18@21; 2 to 2½ lbs., 21@22; broilers, 1½ to 2 lbs., 21@22; hens, large, 14@16; small, 12@14; Leghorn hens, 13@14; roosters, 10; keats, young, 40@45; old, 25@35. Dressed: Turkeys, old toms, 24@26; young toms and hens, 27@30; chickens, 3 lbs. and over, 20@22; 2 to 2½ lbs., 22@25; broilers, 23@25; hens, large, 17@19; small, 13; Leghorn hens, 14@15; roosters, 13; keats, young, 60@70; old, 50; Long Island ducks, 19@21.

EGGS—Hennery, 28@33; current receipts, 24@27.

MEATS—Beef, prime, 16; choice, 15; good, 13; fair, 12½; cows, 9½@10; veal, top, 14; medium, 12½@13; heavy, 10; loins, 8 to 10 lbs., 11@11½; 10 to 12 lbs., 10; lamb, top, 14; medium, 14; fair to medium, 13; fresh hams, 13@19; smoked hams, 16@17; strip bacon, 16@17; lard, bulk, 8½; packages, 9; compound, 7@7½.

LIVE STOCK—Hogs, light and medium, 4.75@5.00; heavy, 4.50@4.75; pigs, 4.00@4.75; calves, 3.50@7.50; lambs, 3.00@6.00.

FRUITS—Bananas, 75@2.50. Oranges, Florida, boxes, all sizes, 2.50@3.50, few 4.00. California, large sizes, 3.50@4.00; small sizes, 3.00@3.25. Lemons, 3.50@5.50, few 6.50. Tangerines, Florida, boxes, all sizes, 1.75@2.00. Limes, Persian, 2.50 per 100. 2.75; California, per 100, 2.00@2.25. Kumquats, quarts, 12½@15. Grapefruit, Florida, boxes, all sizes, 2.00@2.50. Cranberries, 25 lbs., 2.00@2.25. Grapes—California, lugs, Emperors, 2.75. Pears—Supplies, light; Washington, boxes, all sizes, D'Anjous, 2.50@2.75. Alligator pears, 2.75@3.00. Pineapples, Cuban, 2.50@3.50. Strawberries—Supplies, light; market, dull; Florida, pony refrigerators, various varieties, 18 per pint, 30 per quart. Cahabas, California, from cold storage, crates, all sizes, 1.75@2.50. Muscatels, 1.00@1.25. Persimmons, baskets, 2.00.

Apples—Bushel baskets: Truck receipts, moderate. Virginia, Staymans, U. S. No. 1, 2½ inches up, 1.00@1.25; unclassified, 2¼ inches up, 50@75. Winesaps, U. S. No. 1, 2½ inches up, 90@1.00; unclassified, 2½ inches up, 50. Grimes, U. S. No. 1, 2½ inches up, 75@1.00. Barrels: Supplies, light. Virginia, Grimes, U. S. No. 1, 2½ inches up, scalded, 1.25@1.50. Boxes—Supplies, moderate. Washington, Delicious, medium to large sizes, extra fancy, 2.25@2.50; Romes, fancy, medium to large sizes, 1.75; Staymans, medium to large sizes, extra, 1.75@2.00.

CABBAGE—Supplies, moderate. Florida, 1½-bushel hampers, pointed type, fair condition, 1.25@1.50; South Carolina, truck receipts, 1½-bushel hampers, pointed type, 1.25; Texas, crates, approximately 80 lbs. net, flat type, 3.00; New York, Danish type, 90 to 100 lb. sacks, 1.00@1.10; fair condition, 75@90.

CELERY—Supplies, liberal. California, ½ crates, individually washed and precooled, 3-5 dozen, 2.75@3.00; New York, 2-3 crates, 3-5 dozen, fair condition, 2.00@2.25.

LETTUCE—Supplies, moderate. Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen: Arizona, 5.00; fair condition, 4.75; California, fair condition, 4.25@4.50, few best 5.00.

ONIONS—Supplies, light. 50-lb sacks, yellows, U. S. No. 1: Michigan, 2.00; small small size, 1.25@1.50; Ohio, 2.00@2.25.

POTATOES—Supplies, moderate. Maine, 150-lb. sacks, Green Mountains, U. S. No. 1, 1.85@1.90; New York, 150-lb. sacks, round whites, U. S. No. 1, 1.75; Idaho, 100-lb sacks, Russet Burbanks, U. S. No. 1, 2.25@2.35, few 2.50.

SWEET POTATOES — Truck receipts, light. Maryland, Anne Arundel County, bushel hampers, Jersey type, U. S. No. 1, fine quality and condition, 90@1.00.

SNAP BEANS—Express receipts, light. Florida, bushel hampers: Black Valentines, 1.75; Refugees, 2.00@2.25; Bountifuls, 2.25.

CUCUMBERS — Express receipts, very light (via New York City); supplies, very light; too few sales to establish market.

LIMA BEANS—No supplies on the market.

PEPPERS—Supplies, moderate. Florida, from mixed cars, 1½-bushel crates, U. S. No. 1, green, large size, 2.75. U. S. No. 2, 1.75.

OKRA—Express receipts, very light. Florida, bushel hampers, fair quality, 2.50@3.00.

ORANGES—Supplies, liberal. Florida, boxes, all sizes, 2.50@3.50.

GRAPEFRUIT—Supplies, moderate. Florida, boxes, all sizes, 2.00@2.50.

KALE—Boat receipts light and truck receipts moderate. Virginia, Norfolk section, bushel baskets, 50@65; barrels, 1.50.

EGGPLANT — Express receipts light; supplies, light. Florida, 1½-bushel crates, large size, 3.25@3.50; medium size, 2.75@3.00.

PEAS—Supplies, light. California, 45-lb. crates, Telephones, 8.00; Mexico, 45-lb. crates, Telephones, 8.50.

SQUASH—Express receipts, light. Florida, bushel hampers, white, wrapped, 2.50; yellow Crooknecks, 3.00@3.50.

SPINACH — Boat receipts, moderate. Texas, bushel baskets, Savoy type, 1.40@1.50; Virginia, Norfolk section, bushel baskets, 85@1.00.

CARROTS—Supplies, light. Texas, Western lettuce crates, bunched, 3.50.

TOMATOES—Supplies, moderate. Florida, 6s, green and ripening, wrapped, ordinary condition, 144s, 3.50; poorer, 2.50; express receipts, 6s, ripes and turning, wrapped, 144s, 5.50.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS—Express receipts, very light. New York, 32-quart crates, 7.00 per crate.

COLLARDS—Truck receipts, moderate. Virginia, barrels, 1.25@1.50.

BROCCOLI—Supplies, moderate. California, crates, 3.50; Texas, crates, fair condition, 3.00.

CUTABAGAS—Supplies, light. Canada, 50-lb. sacks, 75.

TURNIPS—Supplies, moderate. Virginia and Maryland, bushel baskets, white, 50@60.

DANDELION—Supplies, light. Texas, ½ crates, very few sales, 2.00.

NEW YORK CURB MARKET TRANSACTIONS OF YESTERDAY

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
724 Acme Wire vtc AS..	4	4	4
1 Aero Sup B	1¼	1¼	1¼
2 Ainsworth	5½	5½	5½
1 Air Invest vtc.....	⅜	⅜	⅜
3 Air Invest war.....	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 Air Invest cv pf...	3	3	3
1 Ala Gt Sou.....	26¾	26¾	26¾
50 Ala Gt Sou pf(4)AS	39	39	39
20 Ala Pow $6 pf(6)AS	73½	73½	73½
1 Alex Indust	⅛	⅛	⅛
10 All Am Gen	9⅜	9½	9⅜
1350 Allum Co Am AS..	55⅛	49½	53
2 Allum Co Am pf(6).	58	58	58
2 Allum Goods (1.20)	10¼	10¼	10¼
12 Am Austin	⅛	⅛	⅛
490 Am Brit Cont AS..	⅜	⅛	⅛
3 Am Capital B	⅛	⅛	⅛
4 Am Capital A	½	½	½
5 Am Cit P&L A (3r)	22	20½	21½
10 AmCitP&L B(10%f)	1⅞	1¾	1¾
23 Am C Pow A(10%f)	1¼	1	1
25 ACP $6½pf(6½)AS	10	10	10
25 Am C Pow B(10%f)	1⅜	1⅛	1⅛
3024 Am Cyan B AS....	3⅜	2¾	3
14 Am Equities	1⅜	1⅛	1⅛
16 Am & Fgn P war..	3⅜	3½	3½
40 Am Founders	4	3¾	4
89 Am Gas & El (1a).	37½	34½	36
4 Am Invest B	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
3 Am Laund Mch(2).	14¾	14¾	14¾
10 Am Light & T (2½)	20	19½	19⅝
2 Am Maracaibo	⅜	⅜	⅜
1 Am Nat Gas	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 Am Salamandra	6	6	6
131 Am Sup Power....	3¾	3⅝	3¾
7 AmSupP 1 pr (6)....	52	51½	51⅝
29 Am Ut & G B vtc	1	⅞	⅞
5 Am Yvette	⅞	⅞	⅞
2 Anch Post F	1	1	1
4 Anglo-Chi Nit	⅜	⅜	⅜
166 Appalach Gas.....	⅛	⅛	⅛
10 Appal Gas war....	⅛	⅛	⅛
4 Arctur Rad Tube..	1⅜	1¼	1¼
6 Ark Nat Gas	2¼	2	2¼
80 Ark Nat Gas A....	2¼	1⅞	2⅛
300 Armstrong Ck AS.	9⅛	8½	8½
5 As El Ind (.30).....	3¼	3¼	3½
50 As G & El ctf(8) AS	40½	40	40
3 AsG&E al ctf(1.60)	10	10	10
37 AsG&E A (5%f).....	3⅞	3¾	3¾
7 Atl G & Fish	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
11 Atl Fr & Sug	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 Atlas Ply	2	1⅝	1⅝
14 Atlas Util	4½	4¼	4¼
3 Autom Vot M.....	1¼	1¼	1¼
1632 Au VM cpp(1k)AS	4¾	4¾	4¾
B			
50 Bab & Wil (4) AS.	40¼	40¼	40¼
1 Bellan Airc vtc	1	1	1
2 Ben Ind Loan (1½)	10	10	10
2 Bens & Hedges	1	1	1
2 Bickford (1.20)	10	10	10
2 Bliss E W (8%f)...	2	2	2
3840 Blue Ridge AS....	1⅜	1	1
10 Blue Ridge cvt pf (3r)	16⅝	15¾	16
2 Blumenthal (8)	4½	4½	4½
47 Braz Tr & Lt (1).	10	9½	9⅞
1 Brill A (.34k).....	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
1 Br-Am Oil cp (.80)	8	8	8
2 Buckeye P L (4)....	33	32½	33
3 Buf N&EP pf(1.60)	20¾	20⅝	20⅝
2 Buf N&EP 1 p (5)	75	75	75
20 Bulova Wat pf(3½)	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
175 Bunk H & S AS....	23	22⅛	22⅛
40 Burco AS	1	1	1
40 Burco cv pf AS....	16	16	16
1175 Butler Bros AS....	2¼	2	2⅛
C			
2 Cab R Tube vtc....	⅝	⅝	⅝
13 CAM Co vtc	¾	¾	¾
55 Can Marc Wireless	⅜	⅜	⅜
6 Carib Syn	⅜	⅜	⅜
2 Carnation (1½a)..	17¼	17¼	17¼
1 Carnegie Met	1½	1½	1½
375 Celanese 1 pf AS.	22¼	19¼	20
743 Celanese pf (7) AS	26	26	26
2 Celluloid	2	2	2
24 Cent P S A (5%f)	1⅝	1½	1½
51 Cent St El	1⅝	1½	1½
6 Centrif Pf (.60)....	3½	2¾	2¾
2 Chain Str St	5¾	5¾	5¾
705 Charis (3g) AS....	13¼	13¼	13¼
10 Chi Bur & Q(10)AS	99¾	99¾	99¾
137 Cities Serv (.30a)	5½	5¼	5½
7 City Serv pf (6)..	45¼	44½	44¾
D			
11 Dan Reeves (1½)..	16	15½	15½
20 Dayton Airpl	⅛	⅛	⅛
17 Deere & Co	10	9¾	9⅞
40 De Forest	1⅛	1	1
12 Derby Oil	1¾	1½	1½
135 Dictaphone AS....	9¾	9¾	9¾
1 Doehler Die	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
2 Dow Chem (2)	32	30⅝	30⅝
2 Driver Harris	¾	¾	¾
2 Dubilier Con	1¼	1¼	1¼
13 Duquesne Gas	¾	¾	¾
2 Durant Mot	¾	¾	¾
E			
50 E Gas & F pf(6)AS	61	61	61
8 East Sta Pow B....	2½	2¼	2¼
1 East Util Ass A (2).	20	20	20
2 Eastern Ut A.....	⅜	⅜	⅜
1 Eisler Elec	1¼	1¼	1¼
584 El Bond & Sh(6%f)	11⅝	10	10½
16 El B & Sh pf (6)..	52	48	51
17 El B & Sh 5 pf (5)	44¾	38⅝	44
7 El Pow As (1).....	7	6½	6½
11 El Pow As A (1)....	6½	6⅜	6⅜
3 El P & L opt war ..	4⅛	4	4⅛
4 Elect Share (6%f)..	33½	31¼	31¼
1 Elect Sh pf (6r)....	35¼	35¼	35¼
1 Emp G & F 7 pf(7)	43¾	43¾	43¾
2 Empl Reins (1.80g)	18	17½	17½
50 Eureka Pipe (4) AS	21	21	21
1 Europ El A (.60)...	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
3 Europ El deb rts ..	¼	¼	¼
F			
200 Fajardo Sug AS....	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
1 Feder Met	6	6	6
1 Fire As Phila (1.60)	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
17 Fischman U	¼	¼	¼
1 Flim Inspec	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 Foltis Fisches	1	1	1
6 Ford M Can A	9¼	8⅝	9¼
25 Ford M Can B AS..	13¼	13¼	13¼
29 Ford Mot Ltd(.366)	4¾	4⅝	4¾
2 Foremost Da	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 Foremost Da pf	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 Founds Foreign A.	2¼	2¼	2¼
1 Franklin Mfg	1	1	1
17 Fox Theater A	½	½	½
G			
1 Gen Alloys	1	1	1
6 Gen Aviation Corp.	3⅛	2⅞	3
2 Gen Empire (1).....	12	12	12
450 G G&E cvprB(6)AS	20	16⅝	20
2 Gen Th Eq cv pf....	½	½	½
1 Globe Underwr	4¾	4¾	4¾
1 Gold Seal Elec.....	⅛	⅛	⅛
33 Golden Center Min..	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 Golden State.....	5¼	5¼	5¼
52 Goldman Sachs	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
150 Gorham Inc pf AS	9⅛	9	9
6 Gotham Knit	⅜	⅜	⅜
40 Gt A&P nv(6½g)AS	142	140	142
10 Gt A&P 1stpf(7)AS	115	115	115
H			
10 Groc Str vtc	1½	1½	1½
46 Gulf Oil Pa.....	28½	25⅝	28
I			
1 Hall Lamp (.30K)..	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
1 Hartman Tob	⅛	⅛	⅛
3 Hazeltine (1)	7	7	7
8 Hecla Min (.40)....	4⅜	4⅛	4⅛
2 Helena Rubin	⅜	⅜	⅜
13 Hir Walker (¾)....	2	1⅞	1⅞
1 Hollins Gold (.70g)	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
1 Horn A C pf.....	4¾	4¾	4¾
2 Horn & Hard (2½)..	27¾	27	27
16 Hudson Bay M & S	2½	1⅞	2
16 Humble Oil (2)	44¾	44⅛	44⅛
50 Huyl S Del pf (7) AS	90	90	90
6 Hydro El Sec.....	6½	6¾	6¾
10 Hygrade Fd	3¼	3⅛	3¼
I			
1 Imp Chem Ind....	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
10 Imp Oil Can (⅛)..	8	7⅝	8
3 Ind Ter Ill A.....	4½	4⅜	4⅜
4 Ind Pipe Line (1)..	6½	6½	6½
2 Indust Fin ctf.....	1¾	1¾	1¾
4 Insull Util (6%f)..	5⅝	5	5⅝
4 Ins Co N Am (2½g)	28	25⅝	28
7 Insuran Sec	1⅝	1½	1⅝
3 Intercon Petrol	⅛	⅛	⅛
27 Internat Pet (1)....	9	8⅝	8⅝
5 Inter Sup Pow (1)..	10	9	9
3 Inter Util A.....	5⅜	5½	5⅜
13 Inter Util B.....	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
9 Interst Equit	⅜	⅜	⅜
3 Inters Eq cv pf....	10	10	10
1 Irving Air Ch (½)..	3½	3½	3½
J			
2 Johnson Motor ...	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
K			
1 Ken Rad Tube.....	1	1	1
10 Kirby Pet	1¼	1	1¼
5 Knott Corp	5⅛	5	5⅛
11 Kolster Brandes	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
L			
1 LakeShMines (2½g)	22	22	22
1 Land Co of Fla....	½	½	½
4 Lefcourt Real(1.60)	4⅜	4⅛	4⅜
10 Lehigh C & N(1.20)	11½	10½	11½
11 Leonard Oil	¼	¼	¼
1 Lerner Stores	9	9	9
15 Lion Oil	1¾	1½	1⅝
17 Lone Star Gas (.88)	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
6 Long Is Lt (.60)...	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜
22 Louis L & E	⅛	⅛	⅛
M			
92 Magdalena Syn	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 Marco Wire Tel B...	2	2	2
225 MasUA cv pf(2½)AS	18	17½	18
18 Mavis Bott A	¾	¾	¾
34 Mayflower Asso (2)	28	28	28
3 Mead John (3¼g)..	43¼	43¼	43¼
1 Mass Pow & Lt pf..	20	20	20
1 Memph N Gas (.60)	5	5	5
4 Metal & Min	⅛	⅛	⅛
3 Metro Ch St	¼	¼	¼
70 MidStPet A vtc(.22)	⅝	⅝	⅝
4 Mid St Pet B vtc....	¼	¼	¼
48 MidWestUtil (8%f).	5¾	5½	5⅝
30 MinnHoney pf(6)AS	61½	60	60
14 Mo Kans P L	1¼	1	1
10 Mock Judson	4	4	4
100 MohHud 1 pf(7)AS	80	78¾	80
1 Moody In ptc pf....	5	5	5
8 Mount Prod (.80)....	2¼	2	2¼
134 Murphy Co(1.60)AS	25	25	25
N			
425 Nat Am Co AS.....	1	1	1
1 Nat Avia	2¼	2¼	2¼
1450 Nat Bond Sh ..(1)AS	19¼	18¾	19
9 Nat Fuel G (1).....	12¾	11⅝	12¼
9 Nat Investors	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
250 NatP&L 6% pf(6)AS	64¾	63	64¾
1 Nat Rub Mch.....	2½	2½	2½
1 Nat Sec Inv	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
12 Nat S T Sec A(.60a)	13¾	13¼	13⅜
3 Nat Sug Ref (2)....	23½	23	23
3 Nat Trans (1).....	6⅝	6½	6½
2 Nat Un Rad	¾	¾	¾
1 Nauheim Pharm pf	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 Newberry J J (1.10.	17¼	17¼	17¼
1 New Bradford	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 New Eng Fuel.....	¾	¾	¾
20 New Eng P pf (6)AS	50	50	50
50 N Eng T & T(8)AS	107	107	107
20 N J Zinc (2).....	21½	21	21
4 New Process	3	3	3
1621 Newmont Min AS...	10	9¼	9½
1 N Y Hamburg	8½	8½	8½
O			
3 Ohio Cop	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 Oil Stocks A.....	⅜	⅜	⅜
30 Okla G&E pf(7)AS	87	87	87
1 Outboard Motor A.	2	2	2
1 Overseas Se	½	½	½
P			
4 Pac G&E 1pf(1½)..	24½	24½	24½
3 Pac West Oil.....	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
10 Pandem Oil	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 Pan Am Airways....	11	11	11
1 Param Mot	3⅜	3⅞	3⅞
1 Parke Davis (1.65g)	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
134 Pennroad (.40k)	2	1¾	1⅞
1 Penn Gas & El A..	5½	5½	5½
1 Pa Wat & Pow (3).	47	47	47
1 Pa Lt Pow A.....	¼	¼	¼
60 Pepperell (4) AS....	29½	29	29½
3 Phoenix Sec	¼	¼	¼
1 Pierce Gov	1½	1½	1½
2 Pilot Radio A.....	2¾	2¾	2¾
59 Pioneer G ML4d(.12)	2⅞	2½	2⅞
8 Pitney Bowes (4%f).	2¼	2	2
5 Pitts Lake E (10z).	36	33½	33½
11 Pitts Pl Gl (1)....	18¼	18¼	18½
2 Plymouth O (½g)..	6¼	6¼	6¼
4 Polymet	½	½	½
20 Pruden Inv	3½	3¼	3¼
3 Pruden Inv pf (6).	59¾	59¾	59¾
42 Pub Ut Hold war..	⅛	⅛	⅛
36 Pub Ut Hold xw..	⅜	⅜	⅜
R			
630 Ry & Ut Inv A AS	1⅛	1	1⅛
1 Rainbow A	1	1	1
1 Raytheon vtc	1	1	1
2 Reiter Fost	⅜	⅜	⅜
2 Reliable St	2¾	2½	2¾
4 Relian Intl A	⅝	⅝	⅝
7 Relian Manage	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
32 Reybarn, Inc	⅛	⅛	⅛
12 Reynolds Inv	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 Rich Oil pf	¾	¾	¾
2 Rike-K (1½) XD....	15	15	15
1 Roan A Cop	6½	6½	6½
2 Rockl L & P (.90)	9¾	9¾	9¾
7 Roosevelt Fd	⅜	⅜	⅜
7 Root Ref P pf.....	2½	2½	2½
3 Rossia Intl (.10k)...	⅜	⅜	⅜
1 Russeks Fifth Av...	3½	3½	3½
S			
25 Safety C H & L AS	18	18	18
7 St Anth Gold	⅛	⅛	⅛
51 St Regis Pap	3⅝	3½	3⅝
7 Salt-Cr Con	¼	¼	¼
14 Salt-Cr Prod (1)..	3⅜	3	3⅜
50 Scovill Mfg (2) AS	17	17	17
5 Seaboard Util (.28)	1⅛	1	1⅛
4 Sec Al Corp nv (1)	5½	5½	5½
1 Segal Lock	1½	1⅜	1⅜
1 Seiberling Rub	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
37 Selected Indus	1	¾	¾
8 Sel Ind (al c) (5⅓)	30	29	29
8 Sentry S Con	1	⅞	1
352 Seton Leath (1) AS	3	3	3
1 Shenandoah	1⅜	1¼	1¼
10 Shenandoah pf	8½	8¼	8¼
1 Silica Gel ctf	1	1	1
1570 Singer Mfg (8) AS	122	122	122
1 Sisto Fin	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
10 Smith A O AS.....	39½	39½	39½
2 Snid Viscose	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
11 So Penn Oil (1)....	9⅝	9½	9½
2 S Cal E C p(1.37½)	21½	21½	21½
7 South Corp (.20k)..	1	⅞	⅞
2 So Nat Gas	¼	¼	¼
3 Southland Roy(.20)	3⅝	3¾	3⅝
21 S W Gas Ut	3	3	3
1 St Cap & S (2) XD	27½	27½	27½
50 St Inv pf AS.....	5¼	5¼	5¼
181 St Oil Ind (1)....	14¼	13½	13⅝
15 St Oil Ky (1.60)....	13	12¼	12¾
100 St Oil O (2½) AS	25½	25	25⅛
1 Starrett	⅜	⅜	⅜
20 Starrett pf	1¾	1½	1½
1 Stuts Mot Am	11	11	11
1 Sun Investing	1	1	1
9978 Sunray Oil AS....	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 Swift & Co (2)	18	18	18
2 Swift Int (4g).....	20½	20½	20½
1 Swiss-Am El pf (6)	40	40	40
T			
4 Tazgart	2½	1⅝	2½
2 Tampa El (2a).....	24	24	24
3150 Technicolor AS	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
2 Texon Oil (1)	5½	5½	5½
3 Transcont Air	2	1⅞	2
2 Trans Lux	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1 Tri Cont war	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 Truns Pork (1).....	10½	10½	10½
2 Tubize Ch B	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
U			
4 Union Am Inv	8½	7	7¾
188 Un Gas Can (1)AS	3⅞	3⅝	3⅝
8 Unit Corp war	3⅛	3	3
1 Unit Dry Dock	1	1	1
136 Unit Founders	1¾	1⅝	1⅝
97 United Gas.....	2	1¾	1⅞
1 Unit Gas war	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 Unit Gas pf (⅞)...	48½	48½	48½
56 Lt & Pow A (1)....	6¾	6¾	6¾
8 Un Lt & Pow cv pf(6)	39	37	37
1 Unit Milk Prod	1	1	1
50 Un P R Sug pf AS	10	10	10
3 U S & Int Sec.....	⅜	⅜	⅜
35 U S & Y Sec pf	29¼	28	29
2 U S Dairy Pr A (6)	60	60	60
3 U S Dairy Pr B	6	6	6
85 U S Elec Pow	1¼	1	1⅛
1 U S Fin Hold ww...	¼	¼	¼
2 U S Finish	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
1 U S Lines pf	½	½	½
1 U S Play Cd (2½)..	19½	19½	19½
1 U S Radiator .....

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WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 30, 1931 SPORTS

COACHES PROBE RULES FOR CAUSE OF 50 DEATHS

This MORNING with SHIRLEY L. POVICH

THE Football Coaches Association instead of dabbling with the rules of the game should take this opportunity to do a deal more constructive work looking to the preservation of their jobs.

The evils of the flying wedge and the illegal use of hands are not comparable to the havoc wrought by the editors of college newspapers, and coaches, if they were farseeing, would incorporate in their contracts the right to substitute student editors at will. Chick Meehan, Al Wittmer, Lud Wray, and Glenn Thistlethwaite could offer strong arguments in point.

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The Sportsmanship Brotherhood, that kindly patron of college athletics, comes forward with the assertion that the deplorable conduct of spectators at the games is one of the evil influences in college sports and declares that host colleges should go so far as to eject any fan who raises his voice above a whisper in condemnation of the officiating.

The Brotherhood's plan is ideal in theory but when the time arrives when a sports fan, whether at a big league ball game or a college football spectacle, is denied the privilege of voicing his personal opinion of an umpire or referee, sports will have lost its hold on the American public.

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Seven definite proposals for revising the rules were outlined by the committee with an appendage to the effect that none of the changes were recommended.

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The rules committee of the Coaches Association passed the buck in a grand manner yesterday in submitting its report on the proposed changes in rules.

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Whatever the outcome of the coaches' "Brown Derby" session, the man who lifts the iron skimmer from the dome of Gus Welch, who won it last year, must tell a rare good story of the gridiron to deserve it.

Welch's prize story of last year dealt with a 230-pound guard who played with Welch and Jim Thorpe on the famed Carlisle Indians. The big guard was sluggish until aroused, and it was not until Welch and Thorpe were struck with the happy idea of taking secret slaps and clouts at their teammate in scrimmage that the desired effect was produced. Welch told how they took sly pokes at the big guard throughout the season, keeping him in a state of vengeful frenzy until he wreaked awful havoc among his supposed tormentors on the opposing teams. Thorpe went so far on one occasion as to bite the 230-pounder on the ankle and was rewarded on the next play when he opened a hole in the opposing line big enough for the entire Carlisle backfield to smash through.

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The movement to "give the game back to the students" received a stunning setback yesterday when the National Students Federation went on record as favoring the open subsidization of athletes, the continuance of the practice of issuing scholarships and financial aid to students likely to bring glory to their school.

Except for the sophomoric outbursts of publicity-seeking student editors, the students themselves have expressed no horror at existing conditions in college athletics as perceived by faculty members.

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Coach Lou Little's report defending football from overemphasis attacks reveals that the gridiron game rates below debating, crew, student publications, dramatics and lacrosse from the angle of hours devoted to play and practice. He could gain no accurate check-up on bridge, the charleston and the shag.

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With Schmeling preferring Miami for his bout with Walker and the latter holding out for Chicago or Los Angeles, it has been suggested five rounds be fought in each city to relieve every sector from too much suffering.

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With Schmeling not recognized as the champion in New York and with championship bouts forbidden in Florida, the winner of the fight if staged in Miami will be recognized as the champion of Max Schmeling and Mickey Walker, at least.

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The new league limit of 23 players to a club will make it especially hard on the St. Louis Cardinals, whose farm system turns out so much talent that Gabby Street last year had 23 candidates for every position on the club. Street deserves the more credit for winning the pennant with the Cards last year when he had so much room for mistakes.

Seeded Stars Score At Girls' Title Nets

Chestnut Hill, Mass., Dec. 29 (U.P.) Without loss of a set the four seeded entrants in the National Junior Girls' indoor tennis championship reached the quarter-final round on Longwood covered courts today.

Katharine Winthrop, Boston defending champion, defeated Barbara Eaton, Chestnut Hill, 6-1, 6-1; Virginia Arnold, Brighton, defeated Phillipa Kelly, Winchester, 6-0, 6-0; Helen Jones, Swampscott, defeated Ruth Adelson, Dorchester, 6-0, 6-3; and Joann Palfrey, Brookline, defeated Mary Lippitt, Providence, R. I., 6-1, 6-2.

California Gridmen Sight-Seeing New York

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The University of California's football team, which defeated Georgia Tech at Atlanta last Saturday, arrived here today for a two-day stay.

A show was planned for tonight and a sight-seeing tour tomorrow before the squad leaves for Chicago. The coaches, in the meantime, joined in the general discussions at the football meetings now being held.

The team expects to reach Berkeley on January 4.

Tulane Ready For Test on Coast

Trojans Also Fit for Rose Bowl Contest on Friday.

Both Elevens Resume Outdoor Practice; Bierman Gloomy.

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 29 (A.P.). For the first time in almost a week the sun smiled today, enabling the Tulane and Southern California football squads to return to the out-of-doors to prepare for their Rose Bowl tournament clash New Year's Day.

Both teams staged long, hard practice sessions. Coach Howard Jones gave the Trojans an extensive offensive drill, stressing his pass formations. Coach Bernie Bierman gave the Green Wave a long chalk talk and then after luncheon put the squad through defensive and offensive drill and some fundamentals, especially blocking.

The mentors of both aggregations reported their players to be in top condition. Tulane was given added moral support with the arrival late today of three special trains from New Orleans, bringing a band, cheer leaders, Mayor T. Semms Walmsley and members of the city council, along with more than 500 Tulane followers. The "scrub" squad was included in the group.

Long Drills Also Planned Today.

Coach Jones, greatly disturbed by the heavy rains which prevented his team getting as much early work as he had hoped, plans another hard practice tomorrow. Another long session also is planned for Tulane.

Coach Bierman still was despondent over his team's chances, while Jones refused to show optimism. To listen to the mentors, the impossible is sure to happen Friday, that is, a double defeat.

East 10-6 Choice to Beat West's Eleven New Year's

San Francisco, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Swinging into the end of their practice sessions, Eastern and Western touchdown seekers who will meet in the annual East-West Charity football game here New Year's Day, ran through brisk workouts today.

The Eastern stars shifted their training quarters from Palo Alto to Kezar Stadium here. The players were guests at a banquet and coaches Andy Kerr and Dick Hanley decided upon a local workout. They will return to Stanford University Field tomorrow.

Western players also attended the banquet but moved to Berkeley for practice. One Western player, Ishmael Pilkington, half back, from Tulsa University, has a cold, but is expected to be available for the contest.

Local observers have installed the East team as a 10 to 6 favorite, heavy odds considering the class of all players. Coach Kerr said he considered such odds false and expressed the opinion the game would be a toss-up. Last year the Eastern team was a strong pregame favorite, but the West won 3-0, when Bus Mills, Oklahoma quarter back, kicked a field goal.

Vines Rallies to Beat Lott in Charity Match

Chicago, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Frank X. Shields, of New York, defeated his 1931 Davis Cup teammate, John Van Ryn, of Orange, N. J., in straight sets in the opening match of a charity tennis show in the Chicago Stadium tonight. Shields won, 6—4, 6—4.

Ellsworth Vines, of Pasadena, Calif., national singles champion, met George Lott, of Philadelphia, runner-up for the 1931 title at Forest Hills, in the feature match.

Lott won the first set, 6—3; Vines won the second set, 6—3; Vines took the third set and match, 10—8.

Petrolle vs. Townsend For Chance at Title

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Looking forward to a crack at Lou Brouillard's welterweight boxing title, Billy Petrolle, the boy who came back, and youthful Billy Townsend, of Vancouver, meet in the ten-round feature bout at Madison Square Garden tomorrow night.

Backed by a reputation built up at the expense of some of the ring's greatest, Petrolle is expected to enter the ring a strong favorite. There will be little difference in the weights. Petrolle tipped the scales at 140 and Townsend at 142 when they finished training today.

The ten-round semiwindup will bring together Franta Neholny, of Czechoslovakia, and Eddy Ran, while Mike Payan, the Yaqui Indian, and Steve Wolanain, Syracuse University student, will tangle in another ten-round bout.

Boys Club Tossers Beat Gonzaga, 13-12

Gonzaga High's Basket Ball Team, playing without the services of its two leading exponents, Tommy Nolan and Dickey Fitzgerald, lost to the Boys Club Big Five last night by the score, 13 to 12, at the Boys Club.

It was the seventh consecutive win for the victors, who held a scant lead all the way in the game, which was marked by close guarding and inferior shooting on both sides. Gonzaga scored half on its points on foul shooting.

The Boys Club will play the Tremonts tonight in the Boys Club League.

Boys Club.	G	FG	P	Gonzaga.	G	FG	P
Peruzzi, lf.	2	1	5	Tolson, rf.	0	0	0
Ceccarelli, rf.	2	0	4	Hall, lf.	1	3	5
Brienza, c.	1	0	2	Carr, c.	0	0	0
Mandes, rg.	0	0	0	Donahue, rg.	0	1	1
Warring, rg.	0	0	0	Mann, rg.	0	0	0
Hayman, rg.	0	0	0	Perusso, lg.	2	2	6
Vermillion, lg	0	2	2				
Totals	6	3	13	Totals	3	6	12

MIRACLES OF SPORTS. —By Robert Edgren

SCORE TIED 7-7 .... ONE MINUTE TO PLAY .... MONNETT, MICH. STATE, RAN 61 YARDS TO BEAT COLGATE .... 14-7 1930.
TOMMY ARMOUR JOHNNY McHUGH EARL FRY WERE 40, 35, 30 FEET FROM NO. 4 HOLE IN 2. ALL SUNK THEIR PUTTS FOR BIRDIES. S.F. $7,500. OPEN, 1930.
AN ALL-SUBSTITUTE TEAM - ALL N.Y. YANKEE REGULARS WERE ON DISABLED LIST AT SAME TIME, ONCE DURING SEASON OF 1905.
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TOMORROW: GAMESTER JIMMY FOXX.

A.A.U. COURT PLAY EARLY IN MARCH

All-Star Teams Are Banned; Warning Is Issued.

THE District of Columbia Association, A. A. U. championship basket ball tourney, annually sponsored by The Washington Post, will be held earlier than in previous years, it was decided at a meeting last night. Usually, the event has not gotten under way until near the middle of March, but the 1932 tourney will start during the first week of that month.

Of particular importance was the ruling made last night by A. A. U. officials to the effect that school or college players may not compete in the event except as members of their school or college fives. This was decided upon to prevent the formation of "all-star" teams and is deemed a protection to regularly organized combinations. Teams must have been organized and have played at least two games prior to February 1 to be eligible to compete.

February 1 and 19 Closing Dates.

As was the case last year, players in the 130-pound, 145-pound and unlimited classes must register in the A. A. U. by February 1. In the other classes, including the two for girls, February 19 is the closing registraton date.

In connection with registration, the A. A. U. basket ball committee has issued a warning that all players must be registered now and that if teams use unregistered men or play against unregistered teams they are liable to suspension.

Team entries in the tournament close February 19 with Walter D. Haight, Sports Department of The Post.

For the past two years the tournament has set a record for total number of entries for a sectional A. A. U. basket ball event.

Maryland Faces Wisconsin Tonight

Old Liners, With May Missing, Meet Badgers at Madison.

In what figures to be as hard a game as it has scheduled this season, the Maryland University Basket Ball Team will meet the University of Wisconsin quintet tonight in Madison, Wis. The contest marks Maryland's debut for the season.

Wisconsin ranks among the strongest basket ball teams in the country and Maryland feels that it has no better than an even chance of winning. Last winter Maryland won the Southern Conference championship.

The starting Maryland line-up tonight will include four of the five players who made up the title-winning quintet. They are Shorty Chalmers and Ed Ronkin, forwards; Jack Norris, center, and Bozie Berger, guard. Buckey Buscher, a sophomore, will hold down the other guard position, having temporarily taken the place of the veteran Charlie May, who was unable to attend practices during the past ten days.

Fair Grounds to Sell Mutuel Tickets at $1

New Orleans, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Officials of the Louisiana Jockey Club announced today that $1 mutuel tickets would be sold this year at the Fair Grounds Race Track to patrons of the field stand.

Two dollars has been the minimum.

"Hard times" was given as the reason for inaugurating the $1 mutuel. The Fair Grounds also will adopt the "daily double," similar to the double ticket now in use at Jefferson Park, where the ticket holder picks the winner in the second and third races for the payoff.

24 Exhibition Games Are Listed by Robins

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—The Brooklyn Club of the National Baseball League today announced its game schedule for the Florida "Grapefruit" League listing 24 games, 14 of them with major league teams and the rest with minor league clubs and the House of David nine.

The major league games scheduled are:

March 13, Cincinnati, at Tampa; 15, Phillies, at Clearwater; 17, Athletics, at Clearwater; 19, Phillies, at Winter Haven; 20, Cardinals, at Clearwater; 21, Braves, at St. Petersburg; 23, Cincinnati, at Clearwater; 24, Athletics, at Fort Myers; 25, Cardinals, at Bradentown; 26, Braves, at Clearwater; 27, Cincinnati, at Tampa.

April 1, Washington, at Biloxi, Miss.; 2 and 3, Cleveland, at New Orleans; 8, 9 and 10, Yankees, at New York.

SZABO TO GET CHANCE AT LONDOS

Champion Returns to Auditorium Mat on January 7.

JIM LONDOS, who, more than any other element, keeps the old mat game well up among the biggest money-makers in Eastern sports, will rassle here again January 7 at the Washington Auditorium. His opponent will be Sandor Szabo, Hungarian youth, who is a headliner in every wrestling precinct.

Matchmaker Turner closed with Londos' manager, Ed White, last night, after plans had been made to bring Dick Shikat, former champ, here to engage Szabo.

Londos and Szabo have met twice, both times in Madison Square Garden before big turnouts, and the bout appears to be one of the best ever matched here. It will be Londos' eighth appearance here in a year. On the local mat he has beaten Billy Bartush, Paul Jones, George Hagen, Rudy Dusek (3 times) and Matros Kirilenko.

Szabo Earns Chance by Downing Jones.

Szabo earned his crack at the best-known Greek since Aristotle by virtue of beating Paul Jones here Monday night with a triple twisted superhetrodyne front-back hoit which left doubt in some sectors of the vast auditorium as to the actual winner, if any.

Rudy Dusek, whom half the local burghers swear by and the other half swear at, will appear in the semiwindup, his partner probably being Jim Corrigan, a California collegian who is busily employed around New York rassel bailiwicks.

Speed Lacked by Japanese, Helen Wills Moody Observes

American Champion, Home From Tour, Says Women of Nippon Must Show More Aggressiveness.

By RUSSELL NEWLAND.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29 (A.P.). Women of Japan have gone in for tennis and even adopted the eye shade as standard equipment, but the world's foremost feminine star, Helen Wills Moody, said today they must develop a more powerful attack before they can hope to compete on even terms with their occidental sisters.

Returning aboard the President Coolidge after a tour of the Orient, Mrs. Moody brought back word of a noticeable tennis movement in Japan.

"I was quite surprised at their grasp of the game," said the present American and former world's champion. "They know the rules thoroughly and are well founded in the practical side of the game. But as competitive players they are still in the beginner's stage. They lack speed on their shots and must become more aggressive.

"I suggested it would be a splendid idea for a team of women to come to America for the tournament season. They could learn more in one season here than in several years at home.

"Almost every woman player wore an eye shade similar to mine, while middy blouses and knee-length white skirts were in general use.

"But if the women need lots of practice, the men players certainly gave no evidence of it. The men play a strong, fast game, which, of course, they should. They have been powerful competitors for many years.

"It was especially interesting to see the trend toward the Henri Cochet style of game among the youngsters. Cochet toured the Orient, and the Japanese boys have picked up all the strokes of the French star.

"Because of their stature they have adapted themselves to Cochet's quick movements and spectacular net game. His great volleying and peculiar wrist action seemed to be a part of every Japanese boy's style of play."

Mrs. Moody played exhibitions in Tokyo, Osaka and Yokohama during her stay in Japan and also had a few matches in Hongkong, China.

Mrs. Moody said she intended to begin practice soon in preparation for defense of her national title next summer, but "has not yet given any thoughts to competition in Europe during 1932."

'Reds' Barry And Weiner In Draw

Local Boy, Almost Out, Down for Nine Count in Fourth.

Rallies Gamely to Get Draw; 1,000 See Fight.

By JACK ESPEY.

THE little birdies held Reds Barry in the spell of their song for a count of nine last night.

But then, as they paused for the final crescendo with Referee Miller raising his arm for the fatal tenth time, Washington's 18-year-old heavyweight half-consciously scrambled to his feet from a corner where he had collapsed under Herman Weiner's murderous left hook and clung limply on the shoulders of his struggling opponent until a providential bell sounded, ending the round.

From this stage, the fourth round, Barry gamely withstood the full fury of Weiner's attack and by virtue of a big early lead managed to earn a unanimous draw decision at the conclusion of eight thrilling rounds in Portner's Arena, Alexandria.

It was the closest the Southeast windmill ever came to a knockout in a two-year career, and Barry proved beyond a shadow of doubt that he can, as the boys say, "take it—and how." The blow struck him flush on the chin, depositing him heavily on the floor where he sat against one of the ring posts, his eyes expressionless and mouth guard hanging in pieces over his lip.

Fans Arise En Masse Sensing Knockout.

As Reds dropped, the 1,000 fans arose en masse, sensing a complete knockout, while Weiner, almost dazed at the sudden turn in his own fortunes, followed orders from shrieking seconds to go to a neutral corner.

No one in the place, not even Barry's faithful manager, Patsy Donovan, expected Reds would ever arise under his own power.

But somehow a befuddled brain started to function as it was about to go into an eclipse, and then numbed muscles followed suit.

Freshened by a liberal treatment of cold water and smelling salts between rounds, Barry came back fighting in the fifth round to slow down Weiner with a fusillade of shots to the body, but Weiner still was in the ascendancy and rocked him again with a left hook, though there was not sufficient steam in it this time to send him to the floor.

Again in the sixth Weiner tried desperately to finish him, but Barry was recovering his strength and speed and made the Baltimorean miss wildly. The seventh found the Capital boy once more himself as he resorted to his customary two-fisted attack from all angles to take the round by a safe margin. The eighth was evenly fought, both slugging furiously.

Barry Takes Lead In Early Rounds.

The bout opened with Barry treating the partisan crowd to a display of marvelous foot work and defensive ability. Weiner could not get set to shoot his punches, particularly that left, which later was almost to achieve a startling upset victory.

The semifinal resulted in a technical knockout for Sam Braunstein, Marine welterweight, when Harry ("Kid") Grove went down in the first round without being struck. A blow to the head had just spilled Grove for a count of two when he jumped to his feet with his back turned to his foe. Grove then looked over his shoulder, saw Braunstein rushing to resume the attack and dropped quickly to his knees. Goldie Ahearn, referee of this and other preliminaries, immediately disqualified him.

The first two bouts produced two knockouts in exactly two minutes and five seconds of fighting. Gabe Navos, a Filipino flyweight, stopped Young McLouey, Baltimore, in 45 seconds, and Bingo Brodie, New York middleweight, finished Dutch Schultz, Baltimore, in 1:20. Patsy Lewis, Baltimore lightweight, easily outpointed Billy Hoe, Washington, in four rounds, while K. O. Riley, Washington welterweight, won on a technical knockout over Soldier Smith.

By virtue of his impressive showing against Weiner, Barry earned a match with Nattie Brown, nationally known heavyweight, as the feature of the Day Nursery benefit boxing show scheduled next Tuesday night in Alexandria. The announcement was made by Matchmaker Frankie Mann.

Joe Cronin Named On All-Star Team

Poll of 229 Writers Picks Nat Shortstop; Grove's Selection Unanimous.

St. Louis, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—An all-star major league baseball team chosen by 229 members of the Baseball Writers' Association of America, is made up of eight American League and two National League players.

The team, announced here today by the Sporting News, is made up as follows: Al Simmons, Philadelphia Athletics, left field; Earl Averill, of Cleveland, center field; Babe Ruth, of the New York Yankees, right field; Harold Traynor, of the Pittsburgh Pirates, third base; Joe Cronin, of Washington, shortstop; Frankie Frisch, of the St. Louis Cardinals, second base; Lou Gehrig, of the New York Yankees, first base; Mickey Cochrane, of the Philadelphia Athletics, catcher; Robert M. Grove and George Earnshaw, both of the Athletics, pitchers.

Grove's magnificent pitching during 1931, the News said, won him the distinction of being the only unanimous choice. Only once before in the history of this particular poll, has a player been chosen unanimously, that honor falling to Mickey Cochrane, Grove's battery mate, in 1929.

7 CHANGES DESIGNED TO INSURE SAFETY OF PLAYERS SUBMITTED

Stevens, of Yale, to Head Group to Study Causes.

Warner and Heisman Warn Coaches to Modify Game.

By EDWARD J. NEIL (Associated Press Sports Writer).

NEW YORK, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Football's major problem—almost 50 deaths in 1931—reared up from the sidelines where it had been officially relegated today to force the naming of an investigation committee with orders to study the situation exhaustively and report back to the Football Coaches Association next winter.

Hardly had Burt Ingwersen, reporting on possible rules changes, announced that "coaches are well satisfied with the rules as they are" before a storm of suggestions for changes designed to protect players broke loose.

They ranged all the way from John Heisman's suggestions that massed interference be abolished and football be turned into modified English rugby, down to "Pop" Warner's written advice that soft padding and yielding leather helmets be substituted for the protectors he believes "don't defend a player and merely give out punishment."

Committee Named To Study Causes.

The upshot of it all was the naming of a committee, headed by Dr. Mal Stevens, of Yale, new president of the association, to study the causes of the football injuries and deaths that reached a record total last season. The committee was asked to go into the matter as exhaustively as Lou Little and his committee did before reporting today, after a year's study, that football was not overemphasized and in fact used up far less of a student's time than such extra-curricula activities as debating and the glee club.

Little's address and report, designed as the statistical answer to charges that attention to football was all out of proportion to that afforded other college sports and activities, preceded Ingversen's report that no rule changes were necessary.

But the pages of statistics, forming one of the most astonishing documents ever laid before the coaches' association, was lost sight of immediately in the storm of oratory that rose over the problem of football's youngsters killed in action.

Fifty Coaches Interviewed.

Ingwersen said discussions with 50 coaches had indicated there might be reasons to consider the possibilities of a higher tee for kick-offs, the restricting of the seven defensive linemen to positions between their own 40 and 50 yard lines on kick-offs, clear definition of forward pass interference, a new rule on roughing a forward passer, putting the goal posts back on the goal line to increase field goals, and the advisability of permitting the intercepter of a lateral pass on a kick-off play to run with the ball. He made no specific recommendations, and once the subject of rules to prevent more deaths and injuries was brought up, the coaches never did get back to lesser rule change possibilities.

Ingversen opened the discussion with the opinion that boys were hurt by diving headlong, in their eagerness, into wedge plays, when they were coached to roll under them sideways. Herb McCracken, of Lafayette, said a personal poll of high school superintendents and principals in nineteen of the deaths revealed that physical examination beforehand would have shown, as the autopsies did, that all were physically unfit to play bfootaall.

Heisman Warns Coaches.

Heisman then warned the coaches that "aroused public opinion" would wipe out football if next season proved as deadly as 1931. Coaches, he said, were carrying college technique and massed interference into high school ranks not physically capable of that type of play.

He suggested the elimination of linemen, pulled out of the forward wall and thrown ahead of runners on end sweeps, and would compensate for that by permitting the linemen to trail the backs and take backward passes legally.

"Scatter the offense," he suggested. "Scatter the defense, take away massed play, take away impact, and eliminate deaths. You've invented a thousand plays. You can invent this one, too."

Warner, who was unable to come here for the meeting from Stanford, prefaced his pertinent suggestions with the observation that "the game is no different, no more dangerous, than in the past, but he could make some changes."

Hits Use of Hands By Lineman.

He stressed necessity for a rule change to make illegal and a foul, use of hands by a defensive lineman on the head and neck of an opponent. Such tactics, now legal, are unnecessary, he wrote, and particularly hard on the "defenseless defensive center." He said coaches teach players to jab with their hands not so much to knock an opponent off balance as to deal out punishment.

Similarly he insisted that hard helmets, hard leather pads, were more of a threat than a defense. He thought a change in the penalty for kneeing would cause timorous referees to call that foul oftener. The penalty now is expulsion from the game and a team loss of half the distance to the goal.

"I have never seen an official call it," Warner wrote.

Reports of sectional committees, and brief talks by "Hunk" Anderson, of Notre Dame, on line play; McCracken on forward defense; Wallace Wade, of Duke, on blocking and tackling, and forward pass technique by Charles Dorais, of Detroit, took up most of the afternoon session.

The annual "Brown Derby" banquet tonight and the two-day session of the National Collegiate Athletic Association, starting tomorrow, complete the meetings that began with the Eastern Football Officials Association gathering Sunday.

The addition to the election of Dr. Stevens, Yale head coach, as president, succeeding John F. "Chick" Meehan, the coaches named Dan McGugin, of Vanderbilt, first vice president, and Dana K. Bible, of Nebraska, second vice president. Bill Cowell, of New Hampshire, again was elected secretary-treasurer.

7 PROPOSED CHANGES IN FOOTBALL RULES

New York, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Seven suggestions for changes in the rules to prevent a recurrence of the many injuries and deaths which marked the 1931 football season were put forward today at the annual meeting of the American Football Coaches Association. They were included in a report of the rules committee, which itself refrained from making specific recommendations.

1. Use of tee for kick-off.
2. Restricting seven linemen on receiving team to positions between the 40 and 50 yard line, with ends 5 yards inside the sidelines, to break up mass interference or wedge.
3. Permit kicking side to punt.
4. More specific rules against roughing the forward passer.
5. Allow a team making the kick-off to run with the ball if it intercepts a lateral pass attempted by the receiving team.
6. Rules regarding interference with a forward pass receiver be made more specific.
7. Put goal post back on the goal line to promote field goals.

Agua Caliente Cuts Big Stake to $50,000

Value of Rich Handicap Is Halved; Track Will Resume January 1.

San Diego, Calif., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Agua Caliente's race track in old Mexico will be reopened New Year's Day.

J. R. Crofton, president of the Agua Caliente Jockey Club, in making the announcement said the reopening was due to the "liberality of the Mexican government by reason of a substantial reduction in taxes, and through the cooperation of the horsemen."

The Agua Caliente Handicap, heretofore one of the richest purses in the country, will be reduced from $100,000 to $50,000, Crofton said.

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GRIFFIN SCORES SECOND VICTORY OF TROPICAL PARK MEET

Choice Takes Feature by 3 Lengths

Finishes Strongly After Dropping Back to Last.

McTinkle, in Fourth, Only Outsider of Day to Win.

TROPICAL PARK RACE TRACK, Coral Gables, Fla., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—President Frank Bruen and his associates must now believe in the old saying about the third time being the charm, for after two days of inclement weather the elements changed on this third day of the local meeting and perfect Florida weather prevailed, the attendance picking up accordingly.

Heading a rather lean but interesting program was the Duval County Claiming Purse, a 1-mile test for 3-year-olds and upward. When the clouds of battle had cleared away, O. A. Simmons' Griffin emerged the second two-time winner of the meeting and gave favorite players their fourth score of the afternoon.

Griffin Scores by Three Lengths.

Griffin reached the judges three lengths in advance of Coady, while the latter beat Sand Fiddler by the same margin. Corbeau and Chancellor completed the field. Griffin carried 119 pounds and made the time of 1:39 4-5. He paid $3.70 for $2.

Griffin broke well, but was immediately shuffled back to last in the race for positions around the first turn, with Sand Fiddler, Chancellor and Coady closely aligned as the leaders. Jockey Allen was patient with Griffin and did not hustle his mount until the back stretch. The former G. D. Widener campaigner made up ground fast on the bend and, taking the lead from Coady, turned into the stretch with a safe advantage, merely galloping the rest of the trip. Coady was easily next best.

Wandering Gold sent favorite players off to a rosy start by scoring a driving victory over Miss Chilla in the curtain raiser, a 6-furlong dash. Castle Rock completed the picture. Wandering Gold paid $3.60 for $2. Little Apprentice Arthur rated the choice close to the pace cut out by Miss Chilla and Castle Rock and made his move at the turn for home, getting up in the late stages to win by a half length. Miss Chilla was four lengths before Castle Rock.

McTinkle, First Outsider To Score.

Mortime broke the winning streak of the short-priced horses when he finished fourth in the fourth race after leading by a wide margin to the stretch where he bore out and tired badly. The winner turned up in McTinkle, which beat Orkin by a head with Meek third. McTinkle was outrun most of the trip but closed with a great rush in the last quarter mile and got up in the last few jumps. Orkin was second by three lengths. The winner returned $10.30.

Playground Title Captured by Hoover

The Hoover Playground boys basket ball team, coached by Joe Mitchell, former George Washington University court mentor, won the District Playground championship yesterday, downing Park View in the final tussle, 19-16, in an excitingly played encounter at Montrose Park.

Park View, working the ball around in good style, earned a 10-4 lead at the half, but the superior teamwork of the eventual winners began to tell. The Park View outfit was overhauled shortly after the start of the second half, and the two teams raced down the home stretch until three minutes from the end when Fred Pell put his side ahead.

On its way to the championship Hoover beat Garfield, Virginia Avenue, Potomac Avenue, Rosedale and Burroughts.

Hoover.	G	FG	P	Park View.	G	FG	P
Schlorb, f.	0	2	2	Foxx, f.	1	1	3
Buchholtz, f.	3	0	6	Beck, f.	1	0	2
Gordon, c.	0	0	0	Fine, f.	1	0	2
Pell, g.	3	3	9	Robinson, c.	1	1	3
Liston, g.	1	0	2	Hurwitz, c.	0	1	1
				Donovan, g.	1	0	2
Totals	7	5	19	Murtz, g.	1	1	3
				Totals	6	4	16

Referee—Cavanaugh (Business).

HAVANA ENTRIES.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 2-year-olds and upward.

1 Beau Aspin....115 | 6 *Ranch Lass....107
2 *Princesita....107 | 7 Wentz....115
3 Loyola....115 | 8 *Chic Bird....95
4 Hugh H....112 | 9 Filbert....100
5 Two Bills....115

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward, fillies and mares.

1 Norma Jean....115 | 7 Melva Rose....115
2 *My Ideal....107 | 8 *Thun. Nymph.107
3 Running Girl....112 | 9 *My Beauty....110
4 *Betty Ann....101 | 10 *Fair Alina....110
5 *Netie Pebbles..110 | 11 *Shasta Charm.110
6 *Fifia....105

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1 Rita Lee....110 | 7 Stefan's Lass..110
2 *Frantic....102 | 8 Curt....102
3 *Abstain....102 | 9 Wotta Life....104
4 *Dolesia....102 | 10 Golden Sandals.104
5 Miss Mary Lou.104 | 11 Just Ormont...110
6 *Davie Miller..102 | 12 Talamond....107

FOURTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

1 *Brick Kiln....107 | 5 Thistle Dee....109
2 Atlas....109 | 6 *Thunwin....101
3 *Thistle Pattie.101 | 7 *Ike Mann....104
4 *Baziel....108 | 8 Dark Maid....106

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Hold On....110 | 4 Dea....108
2 *Morocco....115 | 5 Earl of Warwick.118
3 *Truxton....104 | 6 *The Break....107

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 High Life....110 | 6 *Ulverston....105
2 *Croissantanis..107 | 7 Mat.'s Minister.110
3 *Sweepnet....102 | 8 *Fair Glow....103
4 *Broken Sound.110 | 9 *Spectre....107
5 *Tang....112

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
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WEATHER, CLEAR. TRACK, FAST.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving; place, easily. Went to post at 2:32. Off at 2:34. Winner, J. Arthur's ch. g. (4), by The Wanderer—Golden Bantam. Trained by J. P. Marberry. Value to winner, $750; second, $150; third, $75; fourth, $25. Time, 1:13 3-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
WANDERING GOLD	109	2	2	3¹½	3²	1ʰ	1½	Arthur	$0.80
MISS CHILLA	110	6	1	1ʰ	2¹½	2¹	2¹	Gelland	2.95
CASTLE ROCK	111	8	4	2ʰ	1ʰ	3¹	3¹	Horn	218.20
BLACK STOCKING	112	7	7	7³	4¹	4²	4¹	Carroll	18.70
BRAGGADOCCIO	111	4	6	6¹½	6²	6⁴	5½	Williams	7.05
SKY HAWK	106	1	5	5½	5¹½	5³	6⁴	Montgomery	18.40
NISTY	111	3	3	4ʰ	7²	7³	7⁵	Decamillas	31.70
WOLVERINE	112	5	8	8	8	8	8	McGinnis	20.05

Two-dollar mutuels paid—WANDERING GOLD, $3.60, $2.70, $2.20; MISS CHILLA, $3.60, $3.00; CASTLE ROCK, $18.20.

Arthur handled WANDERING GOLD with good judgment, took back when MISS CHILLA went to the front, waited until well around the far turn when he was taken around the leaders and, after taking command, drew away last sixteenth. Under pressure, MISS CHILLA made lot of use of racing CASTLE ROCK into submission. Latter tired badly last furlong and was driving hard to stall off BLACK STOCKINGS.

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Purse, $1,200; claiming. For 2-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place, easily. Went to post at 2:59½. Off at 3:00. Winner, F. Grossman's br. g. (2), by Sun Pal—Shady Sadie. Trained by E. Fred. Value to winner, $850; second, $200; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 1:07 3-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
FRANK GROSSMAN	108	4	3	2²	2²	2²	2¹	1¹½	Catrone	$0.95
BOKIE B.	102½	1	1	1ʰ	1ʰ	1²	2²	Arthur	10.80
JANE MC	103	5	8	4ʰ	3²	3²	3²	Mills	3.35
PRINCE SWEEP	106	6	5	5¹½	5½	4¹½	4³	Williams	59.65
PRINCESS ITALIA	113	7	4	6⁴	6²	5¹½	5³	Phillips	2.55
LOYAL PRINCESS	98	2	6	3¹	4¹	6²	6¹½	Montgomery	4.00
MONT LORRAINE	98	8	2	7³	7²	7²	7⁴	Stout	218.90
MISS JAMISON	108	3	7	8	8	8	8	Corbett	8.45

Two-dollar mutuels paid—FRANK GROSSMAN, $3.90, $3.60, $3.80; BOKIE B., $5.90, $3.80; JANE MC, $4.90.

BOKIE B. raced into a long lead first quarter, but collapsed after they had gone a half mile and tired badly when put to a drive in stretch run. Catrone nursed FRANK GROSSMAN along until straightened out in home stretch. He responded full of courage when put to a drive and passed the tiring pacemaker last twenty yards to win going away. JANE MC broke slowly. She gained steadily and finished with good courage.

THIRD RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Purse, $1,200; claiming. For 2-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 3:30½. Off at 3:33. Winner, J. H. Johnson's b. g. (2), by Axenstein—Felside. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $850; second, $200; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 1:06.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
FELAXE	111	5	6	4¹½	2ʰ	2¹½	1ʰ²	Mann	$0.80
DESERVE	110	8	1	2ʰ	1²	1ʰ	2²	McGinnis	5.05
DANCING BOY	111	6	5	6ʰ	4¹½	4¹½	3¹	Williams	5.30
VOLCRY	107	2	3	1ʰ	3¹½	3²	4⁴	Phillips	7.85
WINNIE C.	103	1	8	7¹½	7⁴	7³	5¼	Rooney	61.05
BLUE NILE	102¼	3	4	3ʰ	4²	5²	6¹½	Arthur	20.80
INVIDIOUS	101	7	2	5ʰ	5¹	6½	7³	Mills	15.35
JESSIE COPPAGE	103	6	7	8	8	8	8	Carroll	107.75

Two-dollar mutuels paid—FELAXE, $3.60, $2.40, $2.60; RESERVE, $3.30, $3.10; DANCING BOY, $3.30.

FELAXE moved up to the leaders in run down back stretch, was on outside of pacemakers all the way and was carried wide entering home stretch, finished full of courage and was wearing DESERVE down right at end. DESERVE, hustled along from third break, was never given a breathing spell and hung when put to the final test. DANCING BOY finished full of courage. WINNIE C. went wide the entire trip. BLUE NILE was a forward contender first half mile.

FOURTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving; place, easily. Went to post at 3:59. Off at 3:59. Winner, W. L. Johnson's b. g. (6), by McGee—Tinkle. Trained by L. W. Johnson. Value to winner, $750; second, $175; third, $75; fourth, $25. Time, 1:07 1-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
M'TINKLE	112	2	5	5³	4¹	3¹½	1ʰ	Williams	$4.15
ORKIN	116	5	3	3ʰ	2¹	2ʰ	2²	Berry	14.70
MEEK	109	1	6	6	5³	5³	3ʰ³	Horn	4.80
MORTIME	111	3	1	1ʰ	1²	1³	4⁴	Decamillas	.70
BOUNDER	111	4	4	4¹	3½	4ʰ	5³	Arthur	9.10
SUNNY STAR	112	4	2	2½	6	6	6	Phillips	134.00

Two-dollar mutuels paid—M'TINKLE, $10.30, $14.90, $7.90; ORKIN, $8.90, $4.00; MEEK, $2.80.

M'TINKLE, slow to find his foot, was outrun to top of home stretch, where he came through on inside, wore tiring leaders down and was up in last few strides. ORKIN hung after passing MORTIME in final furlong. MEEK finished full of courage and outlasted MORTIME. The latter raced into a long lead first quarter, but bore out making the turn into the home stretch and collapsed when put to punishment.

FIFTH RACE—One mile. Purse, $1,000; claiming. Duval County Purse. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won easily; place, same. Went to post at 4:29. Off at 4:30. Winner, O. A Simmons' ch. g. (5), by John P. Grier—Coretta. Trained by M. Simmons. Value to winner, $750; second, $150; third, $75; fourth, $25. Time, 1:39 4-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
GRIFFIN	119	3	2	5	2¹½	1¹	1¹	1²	Allen	$0.85
COADY	112	5	4	3¹	1¹	2²	2²	2³	Mann	8.25
SAND FIDDLER	112	4	3	1ʰ	3ʰ	3¹½	3²	3⁵	Hanford	3.30
CORBEAU	107	1	5	2½	4²	4³	4⁴	4⁴	Buck	16.75
CHANCELLOR	114	2	1	2ʰ	3	5	5	5	Mills	4.55

Two-dollar mutuels paid—GRIFFIN, $3.70, $3.40, $2.10; COADY, $5.90, $2.60; SAND FIDDLER, $2.10.

GRIFFIN, shuffled back at first turn, was taken in hand and Allen waited until he got settled in his stride before making an effort, moved up on outside of his field on back stretch and drew away without effort in final stages. He was only galloping at end. COADY broke well and showed lot of early speed. He always held the others safe. SAND FIDDLER dropped out of it rounding far turn. CHANCELLOR appeared to sulk all the way.

SIXTH RACE—One mile. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won easily; place, same. Went to post at 4:58. Off at 4:58. Winner, J. C. Fletcher's ch. g. (5), by Fair Gain—Speedy Girl. Trained by J. P. Mayberry. Value to winner, $750; second, $150; third, $75; fourth, $25. Time, 1:40 4-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
FAIR BILL	110	3	2	2ʰ	3¹	2¹	1²	1³	Arthur	$0.95
NEALON KAY	111	2	1	1¹	1¹½	1ʰ	2²	2⁴	Smock	1.55
JUDGE CAVERLY	115	1	6	5³	5¹½	3²	3⁴	3⁶	Corbett	7.35
HIGH PLAYER	111	6	5	6⁴	6⁴	6⁴	4⁵	4⁶	Gordon	125.15
MAUNAOLU	110	5	4	4¹	4ʰ	5ʰ	6²	5⁵	Berry	280.25
LAFTAR	115	4	3	3½	2ʰ	4½	5½	6³	Horn	12.60
SEA ROCKET	106	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	Bauer	125.15

Two-dollar mutuels paid—FAIR BILL, $3.90, $2.30, $2.10; NEALON KAY, $2.40, $2.40; JUDGE CAVERLY, $2.90.

FAIR BILL raced under restraint first six furlongs, went to the front without effort when called upon and drew away into a commanding lead last furlong. NEALON KAY broke rapidly and saved ground all the way. He hung when the winner challenged. JUDGE CAVERLY could never get up. LAFTAR, a keen factor first half mile, tired badly when put to a drive.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 5:26½. Off at 5:26½. Winner, F. Grossman's ch. g. (3), by Waygood—Kolinsky. Trained by E. Fred. Value to winner, $750; second, $150; third, $75; fourth, $25. Time, 1:57.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
SKY WAY	115	4	5	3¼	2¼	1¼	1ʰ	1¹	Elston	$1.75
GOLD STAR	113	1	4	4ʰ	4³	3¹½	2¹½	2ⁿᵏ	Catrone	2.65
CABILDO	113	3	4	7	7	6⁶	5¹	3¹	Bollero	31.00
BRIGHT RED	110	5	3	6³	5¹½	5½	4¹	4¹½	Mills	3.45
FRANCOCK	105	2	2	2¹½	3¹	4²	3¹	5¹	Montgomery	5.85
JOHN PEEL	113	7	6	1ᵍ	1²	2ʰ	6⁴	6³	Bozanowski	1,712.60
GLENNO	118	6	7	5¹½	6½	7	7	7	Corbett	12.05

Two-dollar mutuels paid—SKY WAY, $5.50, $2.90, $2.90; GOLD STAR, $3.30, $4.40; CABILDO, $7.90.

SKY WAY, bumped at the start, gradually moved up and, taking command after leaving back stretch, held GOLD STAR safe under vigorous urging. GOLD STAR, lightly rated on outside for five furlongs, closed gamely, but did not get up.

Boots and Saddle's

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—Tropical Park Selections—

By J. B. SNODGRASS

TROPICAL PARK, Miami, Fla., Dec. 29.—Tropical Park features the Broward County Purse of $1,200, fifth on today's program. BACCIOCCO, winner of two races at this track in four days, seems the logical horse for the 6 furlongs. PUTTER may be a better horse at a route, but for a sprint, BACCIOCCO should get out in front and stay there.

PUTTER'S Maryland record was good, but she never started there except in distance races. ARRAS, although carrying top weight of 118 pounds, has early foot and is dangerous at this distance. The track continues fast and is improving. In the entries for today are several horses that have started one or more times, due to the shortage of horses here.

FIRST RACE—CRACK PLAY may be the surprise winner of the first race. He has not raced recently, but was backed in a much better field than he meets here. ORKIN, third in the first race of the meeting, looks like the contender. SPANISH BONERO rates next.

SECOND RACE—PATRICK CALLAHAN is selected. This horse can do better than in his last attempt. SHASTA LOVER was in the money first time out at this track and may again be the contender. TUSCAN KNIGHT should show in this field and may be closer. PATRICK CALLAHAN was backed in the field group in his start on opening day. Last spring he ran with better horses.

THIRD RACE—NONANA should win. She is a Rancocas bred filly and in her last start was third to SISTER LILLIE and NIGHT EDITION. JIMMY C. should be the closest to the leader and VOLCRY is expected to improve. SIR ALWINGTON may go well.

FOURTH RACE—SPAN FAIR, making his first start at this track, should best CAPTAIN ED. In the fall he ran well with such juveniles as TRIPLE THREAT, and CAPTAIN ED'S only advantage is in having raced over the Tropical Park course. MISS JAMISON or FELAXE, a doubtful starter, should hold others safe.

SIXTH RACE — CALGARY KAY, winner Monday, should repeat in the sixth race. This is the smallest field on the card. JUDGE DIRENZO, also a winner at this meeting, will be the contender. STELVIO is next best on general form, but nothing is known of his present readiness.

SEVENTH RACE—NEALON KAY, veteran plater, is well placed in the seventh. He is always at his best on the winter tracks. In his last Bowie race, he was second to BARITONE. SOUR MASH rates the contender. WANDERING GOLD ranks with these, won yesterday, and should be close in this number.

HAVANA RESULTS.

FIRST—One mile and 50 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Skibo, 106 (Roderick)....8-5 3-5 1-3
Roberta L., 103 (D. Cox)....4-5 2-5
Disapproved, 114 (J. M. Jones)....4-5
Elmer H. Ravine, Prince Bulbo, Rocky Point, Hedge Ray, Sam Sweeney and Pals Meadow also ran. Time: 1:43.

SECOND—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for maiden 2-year-olds.

Play Choice, 110 (Gilbert)....6-1 5-2 6-5
Sunday, 115 (McCrossen)....6-1 3-1
Fast Storm, 110 (McLaren)....1-1
McWiggle, Teed Up, Old William, Real Silk, Jazz King, Thistle Dick, Unstained, Briada and Singing Kid also ran. Time: 1:13.

THIRD—One mile and 50 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Miracle, 111 (Louman)....3-1 1-1 1-2
Justiciary, 104 (McLaren)....7-10 1-3
Old Tuck, 109 (E. Neal)....2-5
Princess Ma, Ballot Girl, Joe Adams, Yumuri, Torrito and My Last Honey also ran. Time: 1:44 1-5.

FOURTH—Five and a half furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Ada Spinard, 108 (McCrossen) 2-1 4-5 2-5
Judge Dixon, 110 (H. Mattiola)....2-1 1-1
Silver Canopy, 109 (J. M. Jones)....1-1
Retort, Fast Life, Bunanma, St. Agnes, Damocles, Lady Callistoga, Black and Blue, Pantagruel and Captain J. S. also ran. Time: 1:07.

FIFTH—Six furlongs; purse, $800; allowances; all ages.

Jack Collins, 112 (Roderick) 3-1 1-1 1-3
Vacillate, 112 (McLaren)....1-3 1-6
Outbound, 112 (D. Cox)....1-4
Thistle Ace, John F. and Monkeyshine also ran. Time, 1:11 3-5.

SIXTH—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

Burgler, 110 (Critchfield)....3-1 1-1 1-2
Little Turtle, 113 (Meade)....1-1 1-2
Medicine Bow, 115 (Seabo)....2-5
Requsted, Consummation, Norwalk, Pictover, Carrots also ran. Time, 1:12 3-5.

SEVENTH—One mile and 50 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Polar Sea, 115 (Perdamo) 3-1 1-1 1-2
William Penn, 115 (McCrossen) 1-2 1-4
Carist, 105 (D. Cox)....1-5
Bee Jay, Mozart, Fair Cite, Lady Viola, Picador, Sequi and Croissantanis also ran. Time, 1:42 1-5.

JEFFERSON PARK RESULTS.

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FIRST—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Klingstone, 109 (G. Elston)..3.40 2.80 2.40
Slop Gap, 116 (J. Neel)....3.00 2.60
Mary McClain, 109 (Myres)....3.80
Rubberneck, Griego, Tommy, Rushing also ran. Time, 1:07 3-5.

SECOND—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

Noon Play, 113 (Cohee)....25.80 8.40 6.60
Princess Peroxide, 110 (E. Glanelloni)....6.1 3-1
Oh Yeah, 113 (H. Thomas)....7.40
Delco Del, Finger Tips, Transformation, Surpass, Normahal, Mechanic's Flower, Viola Stinson, Petablit, West Virginia also ran. Time, 1:16 1-5.

THIRD—One mile; purse, $600; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

Quando, 104 (Elston)....33.60 15.00 7.60
Rivet, 109 (Remillard)....4.20 3.60
Prince Redd, 107 (Sylvester)....5.40
Gay Prince, Pesa, Beauty Secret, Beaver, Tiedemann, Ann Loretto, Cotton Time, Matagain, Mildred Watkins also ran.

FOURTH—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 2 and 3 year old maidens.

Quando, 110 (W. Garner)....32.60 17.40 6.00
Jorghensen, 102 (Pendergrass)....6.40 4.20
War Tide, 104 (McCoy)....4.80
Suiaine B., Gen. Costa, Irritation, Bottled Bourbon, Vain Glory, Escorina, Rugaline, King Commander, Miss Snappy also ran. Time, 1:17 1-5.

FIFTH—Six furlongs; purse, $900; claiming; the Sigma Alpha Mu; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Angry, 103 (G. Elston)....9.60 3.60 2.80
Mine Sweeper, 103 (J. Neel)....6.00 3.00
Ironsides, 108 (W. Ellsworth)....3.20
Light Mint, High Foot, All Upset also ran. Time, 1:14 3-5.

SIXTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Sign Off, 114 (Tinker)....3.80 3.00 2.60
Spanflow, 112 (J. Neel)....3.00 2.60
Punkie, 109 (G. Elston)....3.80
Aurica, Evelyn L., Super Toy, As Fair, Big Gun also ran. Time, 1:51 3-5.

SEVENTH—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward, fillies and mares.

7.40 4.20 3.60
Curtsey, 112 (H. Roble)....5.60 4.20
Star Fiyer, 108 (H. Tinker)....3.60
All Columbia, Pattie Kate, Hazel Denson, Black Patricia also ran. Time, 1:50 1-5.

NET DOUBLES FINALS ON FRIDAY

Hunt - Grossman to Meet Kaufman-Dunn for Boys' Title.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 29 (A.P.). One seeded pair fell by the wayside today as doubles play started in the national boys and junior indoor tennis championships, when Frank Kaufman, of Baltimore, and George B. Dunn, of Philadelphia, eliminated William V. Winslow, East Orange, N. J., and Howard Schein, Newark, 6-4 and 6-4, in the boys' bracket.

With their victory over Winslow and Schein, Kaufman and Dunn will meet the first seeded boys' team, Gilbert Hunt, of Washington, and Lyman Grossman, of White Plains, N. Y., in the finals on Friday. Hunt and Grossman won their way into the finals by defeating Bernard Freedman and Joseph Feldman, of New York, 6-3, 6-8 and 6-4.

Hecht and Donovan Advance.

In the junior doubles Mark Hecht, of the University of Pennsylvania, and Ramey Donovan, of Fordham, disposed of Edward Bishop, of Yale, and Leonard Strauss, of Rutgers, 6—3 and 6—1, in the second round after drawing a bye in the first to advance to the semifinals.

Giles Verstraten and Albert Law, of New York, also advanced to the next to last round by whipping Edward Bordin, of Temple University, and Herbert Oritsky, of Reading, Pa., 6—4, 6—4, after beating Bernard Schwartzman and Sam Goldstein, of Baltimore City College, 6—1, 6—2, in the first round.

Bernard Friedman, Philadelphia, and Lester Kabacoff, University of Pennsylvania, defeated David Geller and Marvin Freudenheim, 6—1, 7—9 and 6—0, in one of the hardest matches of the second round after taking their first-round meeting by default of William Grube, of Baltimore, and partner.

In the only singles match of the day Schein eliminated Dunn by winning his third set, 6—3, after play had been halted yesterday with each having won one set.

Other doubles matches:

BOYS.

First round—Gilbert Hunt, Washington, and Lyman Grossman, White Plains, defeated Norman Freeman and Edward W. Levering, Baltimore, default; Bernard Freedman and Joseph Feldman, New York, defeated Atlee Radcliffe and Malcolm McCardell, Frederick, Md., 6—3, 6—3; Frank Kaufman, Baltimore, and George B. Dunn, Philadelphia, defeated Ed J. Sanzer and John H. Miller, Baltimore, default; William V. Winslow, South Orange, N. J., and Howard Schein, Newark, N. J., defeated Stewart Forshay, Riverside, Conn., and partner by default.

Semifinal round—Hunt and Grossman defeated Freedman and Feldman, 6—3, 6—8, 6—4; Kaufman and Dunn defeated Winslow and Schein, 6—4, 6—4.

JUNIORS.

First round—Edwin Bordin, Temple University, and Herbert Oritsky, Reading, won by default from Alfred I. Aiter, University of Pennsylvania and partner.

Second round—William Lurie and John Nogrady, City College of New York, defeated Carl Hartman, and Morris Lipsitz, Baltimore.

GRAYS BEAT WOODSIDE.

The Chevy Chase Grays added another win to their column last night at the expense of Woodside's tossers, 35-19. Evans scored 15 points.

C. C. Grays.	G	FG	P	Woodside.	G	FG	P
Evans, rf.	6	3	15	Kreh, rf.	1	1	3
Stevens, lf.	4	0	8	J.Holmeade, lf	0	0	0
Medler, c.	2	0	4	Christie, c.	2	0	4
Hoffman, lg.	1	0	2	Millikan, lg.	1	2	4
Davis, lg.	1	0	2	Markb, lg.	3	1	7
Randall, rg.	2	0	4	Mullican, rg.	0	1	1
Totals	16	3	35	Totals	7	5	19

Referee—Appleton (Syracuse).

EASY FOR JEWELERS.

Ross Jewelers swamped the Dumbarton basket team last night, 30-9, at Central High Gym, leading at all times.

Dumbarton.	G	FG	P	Ross Jeweler.	G	FG	P
Ballinger, lf.	0	0	0	E.Pierce, lf.	4	1	9
Jones, lf.	0	0	0	Reaves, rf.	3	2	8
Gray, rf.	2	1	5	Howland, c.	2	1	5
Groves, c.	1	2	4	L.Pierce, lg.	4	0	8
Murphy, lg.	0	0	0	C.Pierce, rg.	0	0	0
Hebee, lg.	0	0	0				
Cohee, rg.	0	0	0	Totals	13	4	30
Totals	3	3	9				

Referee—Johnson.

KENILWORTHS VICTORS.

Laurel, Md., Dec. 29.—The Laurel Intercity League opened tonight with a thrilling overtime period game in which Kenilworth beat the Brookland Boys' Club, 18 to 16.

The regulation game ended with the teams deadlocked at 16-16. A. Adair sank the winning basket, but yielded scoring honors to D. Gibson, a teammate.

Brookland.	G	FG	P	Kenilworth.	G	FG	P
L.Franke, lf.	1	0	2	A.Adair, lf.	2	0	4
Santucci, lf.	0	0	0	R.Gibson, rf.	0	0	0
Lambert, rf.	1	0	2	G.Adair, c.	1	1	3
Clarke, rf.	1	1	3	Dove, lg.	3	0	6
Cassidy, c.	2	0	4	D.Gibson, lg.	3	1	7
Dufficy, lg.	0	0	0	Gardener, rg.	1	0	2
Cotta, rg.	2	1	5				
Luebkert, rg.	0	0	0	Totals	8	2	18
Totals	7	2	16				

JEFFERSON PARK ENTRIES.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1 *Monk's Fox....102 | 9 Tulane Lass....107
2 Verity Ballot...107 | 10 *Chilhoma....105
3 Dilly....110 | 11 Wise Seller....110
4 Chutney....110 | 12 Imelda....107
5 Marcelet....107 | 13 La Compere....111
6 *M. N. Conlan..102 | 14 *Noah's Pride..109
7 Cloirad....109 | 15 Lady Cadham..107
8 Bob Up....109 | 16 Gay Prince....110

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Sunny Port....112 | 11 Panivana....112
2 Dod. Leighton..112 | 12 Hid. Thoughts..107
3 Jungle Belle....112 | 13 Watchful....115
4 *Oh Fay....107 | 14 Silver Wave....107
5 Ultimate Vote..110 | 15 *Smolderine....110
6 *Ninotte....110 | 16 *Perfect Play..113
7 Runmaid....107 | 17 Outer Harbor..118
8 St. Jim....115 | 18 Perfect Alibi..112
9 Thelma L....112 | 19 Sally's Hour....115
10 Aristocrat....115 | 20 Bunyora....115

THIRD RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Valiant Heart..105 | 9 Boom....110
2 *Master Ogden.107 | 10 *Dixie Dan....105
3 *Tea Green....99 | 11 *Noel's First..102
4 Uncle Gun....99 | 12 Avatar....105
5 Old Sol....104 | 13 *Sonny Basil..99
6 *Outcry....104 | 14 *Rave....99
7 Luck Piece....110 | 15 *Lad's Run....99
8 Black Jewel....102

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1 Graphite....112 | 10 *Bright Knot..105
2 French Lad....110 | 11 Double Cheer..110
3 Stimulator....116 | 12 *Law, Gamble..107
4 Hasola....104 | 13 *Cherry Heart..102
5 *Newburger....105 | 14 Princess Nancy.107
6 *Lit. Marcelle..102 | 15 *Sun Bonny....102
7 *Deceptive....105 | 16 *Magna Mater..102
8 *Fortuna Mia..102 | 17 *Bot. Bourbon..105
9 *Nola....102

FIFTH RACE—One mile; purse, $800; allowances; the Kappa Alpha; for 2-year-olds.

1 Skidmore....106 | 4 Camp Douglas..112
2 Chicon....106 | 5 L. Merryman....106
3 Simple Sinner..106 | 6 Thunderbone....109

SIXTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *Toney Joe....110 | 5 Stephanite....111
2 Englewood....107 | 6 Lieut. Russell..111
3 *Bide a Wee....103 | 7 *Come On....110
4 Chokoloskee....112

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-half miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Red Tam....102 | 6 Dick Porter....107
2 Entrap....108 | 7 Uncle

NO CHANGES IN BOWLING LEADERS

Moore's 614 Set Is Best of Night in Star Tourney.

THE names of Rosenberg, Pacini and Harrison easily withstood the assault of another young army of bowlers in the Star Sweepstakes last night at Lucky Strike, for nothing in the way of a spectacular bit of bowling was performed.

Best of the night was the work of J. J. Moore, with a total of 614 pins in his five games, a mark which fell far short of Rosenberg's 677, leading total. Next came Seltzer with a 611, and Earl McPhilomy, veteran pin artist, with 610.

One of the features of the night was a game of 182, bowled by A. R. King, who preceded this performance with a 92 game and wound up with a 101 game. His total for the night was 601.

MEN.						
Al. Fisher	116	117	131	121	131	626
J. J. Moore	113	152	107	123	119	614
W. Seltzer	102	111	123	161	114	611
McPhilomy	153	95	136	118	108	610
A. R. King	98	182	114	106	101	601
Mandley	126	126	114	94	120	600
P. Messink	96	106	103	100	109	514
H. Rogers	98	96	113	108	76	491
J. Rothgeb	82	97	107	136	120	552
J. Whalen	106	104	127	115	115	577
H. Baker	105	98	110	101	94	508
Wood	104	98	127	97	111	538
J. Parsons	106	107	121	107	98	539
G. Ellis	120	126	95	97	101	523
W. McClosky	91	96	110	97	126	520
C. Sanborn	100	97	122	119	96	534
J. W. Roper	102	108	96	110	103	519
C. Fox	103	105	99	86	101	494
E. Kellogg	122	102	93	91	92	500
J. Whitaker	129	129	130	86	106	579
Al. Ford	88	95	82	95	87	447
G. Feaster	101	140	119	121	111	592
A. Mangene	99	109	94	108	83	493
M. Vitale	142	100	124	125	116	607
H. Hench	95	105	94	85	103	482
C. C. Agee	83	93	98	86	80	440
F. Horner	113	96	141	106	110	566
J. Wussey	104	129	94	97	78	502
F. Schlosser	106	90	97	105	96	495
S. Anderson	100	89	102	93	112	496
F. Temple	100	98	107	116	88	509
T. Tolson	113	91	97	110	98	509
W. Dust	108	94	118	98	111	519
W. Whitman	104	102	101	111	110	528
W. Baker	85	100	91	107	99	482
R. E. Robinson	118	109	102	109	120	562
Robbins, sr.	101	97	99	100	120	536
R. Marcey	85	104	96	94	92	471
R. Weakley	96	85	98	98	85	462
L. Marcey	111	91	97	110	115	515
C. Hurlburt	110	118	95	103	113	539
A. Ersham	112	89	104	117	109	531
L. Mushinsky	96	106	101	102	106	511
W. Powell	101	125	98	117	112	551
C. Ringer	130	97	96	90	124	537
J. C. Howard	81	92	116	106	121	516
T. P. Howard	109	112	128	104	114	567
H. G. Malone	113	129	81	102	122	548
O. Webb	110	111	128	110	105	564
T. Bradford	106	103	98	124	118	549
H. Ninman	101	88	128	106	102	525
W. H. Arnold	108	119	119	107	124	577
C. Roberts	108	86	96	100	149	539
T. O. Burke	102	95	100	91	81	469
E. W. Robbins, jr.	126	102	90	115	91	524
H. Russell	107	104	108	119	100	538
O. Kluse	128	110	116	102	100	556
M. Nyce	93	96	95	110	113	507
H. B. Ellis	83	121	111	85	90	490
L. Speer	113	119	117	98	123	570
C. Matson	103	129	115	112	119	578
H. Millard	105	91	90	88	93	467
J. Fisher	93	83	94	97	92	459
A. Staley	93	103	103	124	124	563
W. Verrier	108	102	105	103	123	541
W. Duke	99	78	111	98	86	472
N. Almony	117	88	90	115	129	539
Deffinbaugh	105	113	91	89	122	520
G. Ohem	124	112	104	95	116	551
W. Restorff	95	114	119	91	117	536
B. B. Frantz	87	106	95	88	86	462
J. Justice	91	91	111	91	85	468
J. Gardiner	98	85	106	96	91	476
F. Moore	109	115	120	119	130	593
R. Pearson	108	106	121	125	88	544
W. Klarner	98	107	121	108	106	532
E. Wilson	137	117	129	101	113	597
C. A. Nichols	122	117	104	108	89	540
C. H. Glenn	83	101	99	90	104	477
O. Kee	99	102	113	126	94	534
W. Booth	107	97	96	100	107	507
R. Heffelfinger	95	101	111	125	93	535
N. Schroth	146	118	121	87	122	594
P. Ontrich	107	95	115	117	97	531
O. Clark	109	112	138	112	102	573
E. Grasso	125	124	122	100	121	592
Dal Fry	109	104	101	106	99	519
H. Wetsel	112	117	113	96	118	556
C. Ridgeway	102	107	89	144	118	560
B. Weaver	88	88	116	126	112	532
M. Watson	116	129	116	131	101	593
H. Neff	104	116	133	116	115	584
H. Smith	124	112	110	101	116	564
W. Landis	101	109	101	103	99	513
J. L. Collins	117	84	92	97	88	478
McLindon	84	89	74	120	98	465
E. Pederline	96	113	98	110	102	519
R. Farnum	107	95	100	96	115	513
G. Brown	101	95	87	86	83	452
L. Browning	94	102	94	108	88	486
M. E. Davis	96	90	97	111	92	479
L. Seer	95	89	86	96	108	468
A. Ramsey	98	110	108	100	120	536
J. Cooksey	112	85	124	122	96	539
M. J. Percival	108	123	119	108	99	557
H. Hobbs	99	98	112	97	103	506
W. L. Ball	106	90	100	82	88	466
A. Ebersole	119	89	122	105	95	530

200 TRUCKMEN MAP FIGHT ON MAPES TAX BILL AT CONFERENCE

Objections to Be Presented to District Committee of Senate.

PROPOSED GAS TAX RISE IS ATTACKED AS UNFAIR

Owners and Operators of 3,000 Vehicles Organize for Concerted Drive.

Assailing the Mapes auto tax bill which recently passed the House, 200 owners and operators of nearly 3,000 commercial motor vehicles in the District last night met in the United States Chamber of Commerce Building and formulated preliminary plans for the presentation of their objections before the Senate District committee.

The meeting was in reality a reorganization of the Commercial Motor Vehicles Association of the District, for the purpose of protesting against the threatened added tax burden of the Mapes bill and of the recommended legislation in Virginia.

A motion was passed by which the executive secretary, Jerome Fanciulli, was instructed to invite all of the other trade and civic bodies which are fighting the bill to form a joint committe in order to better organize their concerted action

Says Bill Hurriedly Drawn.

"The bill was drawn up hurriedly and without consideration to any of the problems of the truck owner," Fanciulli said, in drawing attention to its inequitable features. Under it District truck operators would be taxed higher than those of a majority of States, he said.

In no part of the bill is consideration made for the taxing of trucks from other States which operate in the District for long periods of time, as has been the case of trucks operating on the Government building program with license plates of other States, he asserted.

The recommendation of the special commission appointed by Gov. Pollard of Virginia that trucks used by Washington concerns operating in Virginia be made to register in Virginia and pay fees ranging from $15 to $1,195 for such registration, was also cited as unfair by the executive secretary.

Raps Gasoline Tax.

The proposed gasoline tax increase of 2 cents a gallon, although it was conceded to be the most equitable form of automobile taxation, was said to be unfair by Fanciulli as in it was no provision for the freeing of the property owner from benefits when streets abutting his real estate were paved or improved.

At the outset of the meeting John A. Hardell, of Barber & Ross Co., was elected president.

James E. Cellilflower, of the Cellilflower Coal Co., was named first vice president; A. G. Hermann, of the Hermann Bottling Co., second vice president, and W. Spencer Brenizer, of Warren F. Brenizer Contracting Co., treasurer.

Board of Governors.

The officers who were named announced a partial list of members to serve on the board of governors. They were: Edgar M. Brawner, A. Lee Thompson, C. E. Fries, Mark Lansburgh, Ford Young, P. R. Bailey, L. P. Field, Anton Auth, John Z. Walter, Charles P. Meloney, William E. Humphries and Edward Costigan.

Philip P. Gott, manager of the trade association division of the United States Chamber of Commerce, addressed the gathering on the part which trade associations must take in the procuring of fair legislation and the prevention of the adoption of detrimental laws.

The officers and the board of governors will meet at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of January 5, it was announced from the chair. This meeting also will be held in the Chamber of Commerce.

Bishop to Open Session Of Episcopal Auxiliary

The Bishop of Washington, the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, will be celebrant of the Holy Communion service which will open the annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the District on January 5. The meeting will begin at 10 o'clock in the morning at St. John's Church, Lafayette square.

The communion service will be followed by an address by the Rev. Robert W. Patton, director of the American Church Institute for Negroes. At 12:45 o'clock a luncheon will be held in the Cosmos Club. Following the luncheon the delegation will return to the church to hear annual reports and elect officers.

Visitor Says Friends Took His Dentistry

Police last night were investigating the story of Arthur Hitchcock, 49-year-old visitor from Barre, Vt., that two white men with whom he had made acquaintance, later beat and robbed him of $85 gold bridge work in his mouth, a gold watch and $7 in cash.

Hitchcock, who was booked on a charge of drunkenness, said he is stopping at 103 Second street northeast. He said he met the two men in the rear of the latter address and that they "panhandled" him for 25 cents. They then gave him a drink of "something" and after that knocked him down, his bridge work becoming loose as a result of one of their blows.

Hitchcock was found at Sixteenth street and Spring road northwest, where he said the men had taken him in an automobile, by Private L. G. Parker, of the Tenth Precinct. After treatment at Freedmen's Hospital for abrasions on the face and head Hitchcock was taken to the Tenth Precinct police station. He was later removed to Gallinger Hospital.

YULETIDE REUNITES FOUR GENERATIONS

Post Staff Photo.

Christmas week brought together four generatio ns at the home of Mrs. F. J. Owen, of 2811 Connecticut avenue. Left to right, Mrs. F. J. Owe n, her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Giordano, of 4125 New Hampshire avenue; her granddaughter, Mrs. Edward F. Kammerer, of 133 Webster street northwest, and her great-granddaughter, Mary Frances Kammerer.

VICTIM OF ROBBERY IS LOCKED IN CLOSET

Suspect, Arrested Within Two Hours After Theft, Partially Identified.

A suspect was under arrest within two hours after D. J. Gibson, manager of the General Baking Co., had been held up in his home at 1509 Gallatin street northwest and locked in a closet by the intruder.

The young man arrested gave his name as Henry Raymond, 21 years old, of 4303 Ninth street northwest. He denied any connection with the case, but police said Mr. Gibson had partially identified him as the man who had surprised him in his home.

Mr. Gibson returned to his residence late yesterday and noticed that the latch on the cellar door was unhooked and decided to investigate. As he went down the steps he was confronted by an armed man who demanded his money. Mr. Gibson denied having any cash on him, but the intruder forced him into an upstairs bedroom and made him give up a wallet containing about $1 in cash.

The man then ordered Mr. Gibson into the closet and locked the door. After the burglar left Mr. Gibson forced the door and reported to police. He said the only thing taken besides the wallet was a pistol.

Raymond was arrested at Thirteenth and Gallatin streets by Privates J. O. Patton and H. A. Deaner, of the Thirteenth Precinct. They said he fitted the general description given them by Mr. Gibson.

2 Homes Are Entered And $361 Loot Taken

Two burglaries in the Northwest section in which more than $361 in cash and jewelry was taken, were reported to police yesterday.

George Howe, of the Buerau of Weights and Measures, told police that his home at 1323 Quincy street was entered yesterday afternoon by some one who broke open a basement door. The intruder took diamond rings, medals set with jewels and a revolver, all valued at $205, from the second floor. Benjamin Freedman, of 62 M street, said several rings valued at $140 and $16 in cash were taken from his home.

Suspect Seized Hour After Purse-Snatching

A civilian who witnessed a purse snatching last night led police to the alleged thief. The suspect was under arrest within an hour after Mrs. Jenny Douglas, of 1605 Thirty-fifth street northwest, said her pocketbook was stolen by a colored man in front of 18 Fourth street southeast.

Charlie Cox, 25 years old, of 14 Fourth street southeast, told police he witnessed the theft and followed the man to 212 C street southeast. The colored man arrested there gave the name of Theodore Roosevelt Ward, 30 years old. Police found Mrs. Douglas' pocketbook hidden in an alley, but the contents, valued at $20, were missing.

Hadassah and Zionists Hear Mrs. Silverman

A largely attended joint Hadassah and Zionist district meeting was held last night at the Jewish Community Center, Sixteenth and Q streets northwest. Mrs. Archibald Silverman, of Providence, R. I., nationally known Zionist leader, was the principal speaker, taking as her subject, "Why I Am a Zionist."

Mrs. Edward Cooper gave the opening prayer. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Dave Alpher, president of Washington Chapter Hadassah. A brief survey of Jewish current events was given by Mrs. William Bralove and a short talk was made by John M. Safer, president of the local Zionist district. Miss Theresa Shefferman sang several Yiddish folk songs, accompanied by Mrs. Maurice Bisgyer.

Fake Relative Of Senator Is 1 Suit Richer

A smooth-working confidence man, who convinced a night watchman that he was a son of Senator Johnson, of California, persuaded the man to exchange a good suit for a shabby one early yesterday morning.

When the bogus son of the senator failed to return, the watchman, Clarence E. Gilmore, of 115 B street northwest, reported the affair to police. Gilmore said he was standing in front of 1607 Sixteenth street northwest, where he is employed, when he was approached by a young man about 20 years old.

The man told him, he said, that his name was "Henry Johnson," son of the senator from California. He was temporarily down on his luck, the confidence man continued, but was on his way to see his father, who would stake him to funds.

However, the youth continued, he hesitated to face his distinguished parent while dressed in such shabby style, and he wondered if Gilmore wouldn't change clothes with him until he could interview his father. The youth offered the watchman $15, payable when his "father" came through, to make the switch.

Gilmore agreed, he told police, and they swapped clothes. He hasn't seen the youth or his clothing since.

HEGE WILL CONDUCT 1932 HOTEL SURVEY

Traffic Expert Recommended by Havenner for Post at $300 a Month.

Edwin S. Hege, traffic and market expert of the Federation of Citizens Associations, was appointed by the District Commissioners yesterday to make a study of garage, hotel and boarding accommodations for the District Washington Bicentennial Commission for a period not to exceed three months at a salary of $300 a month.

The appointment was made upon the recommendation of Dr. George C. Havenner, executive vice chairman of the commission and president of the federation. Mr. Hege was one of Dr. Havenner's stanch supporters last November when the latter was elected head of the citizens organization for a fourth term.

Edmund Slattery was named assistant to Mr. Hege for a period of two months at a salary of $100 a month. Mrs. Elizabeth Harmon was appointed director of the making of pageant costumes for two months at $80.

The commissioners also appointed Judge James A. Cobb, member of the District commission, and Frank Buckley, assistant investigator, at a salary of $100 a month. The former appointment was made upon the recommendation of Dr. Cloyd Heck Marvin, president of the commission.

Chevy Chase Man Sued For $5,000 in Crash

Suit seeking to collect damages of $5,000 for alleged injuries received in an automobile accident was filed yesterday in Montgomery County Circuit Court at Rockville, Md., by William A. Jones, of Washington. E. Alexander Powell, of Chevy Chase, Md., is named defendant.

Through the law firm of Peter & Simpson, Mr. Jones alleges that he was seriously injured in a collision between his car and one owned by Mr. Powell at Twentieth and M streets northwest, January 12, 1931. He alleges negligence on the part of the operator of the Powell car.

QUARREL IS BLAMED IN DEATH OF WOMAN

Housewife's Body Found by Nephew; Husband Had Left After Tiff.

A Christmas quarrel with her husband is believed to have led to the death yesterday of Mrs. Florence McCarthy, 45 years old, of 4 Barnes lane southeast, according to police. The woman was found on the floor of a front room at the house. There was evidence that she had taken a strong poison, police said.

The body was discovered by a nephew, Charles Pushee, 20 years old, who made his home with Mrs. McCarthy. The young man called the family physician, Dr. George Eppard, of 601 Minnesota avenue northeast, who said she had been dead for about an hour.

Pushee told police that his aunt and her husband, Joseph, had quarreled on Christmas Day and that McCarthy had left home and his wife had not heard from him since. She had been despondent and worried, he said.

An inquest will be held.

Harry Walch, 35 years old, of 3335 Nichols avenue southeast, was taken to Gallinger for mental observation last night after police said he had swallowed a small quantity of poison at his home.

Police Who Guarded Grandi Get Awards

A gift of three cigarette cases and $500 in cash will distributed among 22 members of the Metropolitan Police Department who assisted in escorting and guarding Dino Grandi, Italian foreign minister, while in Washington. An order permitted the policemen to accept the gift was issued yesterday by the District Commissioners.

Inspector F. S. W Burke, Capt. J. E. Bowers and Lieut. H. R. Lohman will each receive a cigarette case, while the $500 will be apportioned among the following: Sergt. O R. Sanders, Sergt. J. E. Fondahl, Detective Sergts. W. J. Dubusky, John A. Foley and Jeremiah F. Flaherty, and Privates H. P. Greenlaw, W. H. Bell, W R Greenful, . F. Comisky, W. E. Davis, L. S. Graham, R. E. Barton, C. C. Johnson, R. S. Montgomery, J. E Bennett, J. J. Agnew, W. B. Hopkins, H. H. Carper and J. W. Caw.

BILL FOR STRINGENT REGULATION OF JOBS AGENCIES APPROVED

Measure Designed to Curb Certain Evils Ready for Capital Debate.

BRIDE DOUBTS VALIDITY OF STATUTE NOW IN USE

Proposed Law Would Raise License Fee and Provide Heavier Penalties.

Employment agencies in Washington would be more strictly regulated and subject to much greater penalties for violations of regulations under a bill approved by the District Commissioners yesterday for forwarding to Congress when it reconvenes.

The measure proposes to rewrite entirely the legislation governing the operation of employment agencies in the District because of serious questions of validity raised with regard to the present law since the United States Supreme Court held a similar New Jersey law unconstitutional because it attempted to regulate the fees that could be charged by licensed agencies.

"Our present law lays down a schedule of fees that can be charged and while prosecutions have been successfully maintained on various other phases of the law we are doubtful that the statute could withstand the test of constitutionality were it attacked," Corporation Counsel William W. Bride stated in transmitting the bill to the Commissioners.

Would Raise License Fee.

The measure would raise the license fee from $25 to $100 in order to pay for the more stringent supervision, and it would raise the penalty for violation of any provision of the law from $25 to $300 or 90 days in jail.

The proposed legislation would also prohibit the conduct of such agencies in rooms used for living purposes, or where boarders or lodgers are kept, or in rooms located in any building where any of these conditions exist. This would prevent any agency from operating from a private home or apartment.

Receipts would be required to be given both applicants for positions and applicants for help under the bill so that agencies could not accept a fee and later deny liability or knowledge of the case.

Advertising Held Misleading.

"The recent investigations conducted both by this office and the office of the U. S. Attorney have disclosed that certain agencies have conducted extensive advertising campaigns in the newspapers, all intended to mislead prospective registrants," Mr. Bride stated. "In addition to advertising, the agencies have painted attractive pictures of placement to prospective registrants and after securing the fee fail to make good the promises.

"The proposed legislation will eliminate all of the past practices by making it a violation of law to publish any false, fraudulent or misleading information or promises."

The bill would also empower the Commissioners to delegate the authority of holding hearings involving the refusal, revocation or suspension of license. The present law requires them to conduct such hearings personally.

Commissioners Award Three Sewer Contracts

Three sewer contracts were awarded yesterday by the District Commissioners. William A. Pate drew the job of constructing the Pennsylvania avenue replacement sewer on a low bid of $6,009.71.

Hughes & Keegan, Inc., was low bidder on the Capitol Plaza combined sewer system in C street northeast between Delaware avenue and First street, while the J. B. McCrary Co. won the project of building a stormwater sewer at Third and Rittenhouse streets northwest. The respective bids were $2,290.45 and $1,980.05.

Lieut. Marks Is Elevated To Rank of Police Captain

Will Fill Vacancy Caused by Wilson Retirement; Keck Promoted.

The promotion of Police Lieut. Sidney Marks to the rank of captain was ordered yesterday by the District Commissioners. Lieut. Marks, who has been attached to the Fourth Precinct, will replace Capt. J. E. Wilson, of the Eleventh Precinct, who will be retired because of age tomorrow.

Capt. Wilson, who has served in the department for 31 years, reached his 64th birthday on December 26. He will receive a pension of $150 a month.

Lieut. Marks' promotion will be effective on the first day of January. He is 47 years old and has been a member of the force for 26 years, having served 13 years as a patrolman, 6 years as a sergeant and 7 years as a lieutenant.

Before becoming a policeman, Lieut. Marks was a seaman in the Navy, serving for four years in the Philippine Insurrection. During this time he was commended by the Secretary of the Navy for saving a marine's life.

Lieut. Marks is the holder of the Police Department's highest merit bar, which he was awarded for the capture of safe burglars in 1924.

Sergt. Ira Keck, who is now acting as aid to Commissioner Herbert B. Crosby, was made a lieutenant to replace Lieut. Marks.

CAPT. SIDNEY MARKS.

Precinct Detectives A. A. Tolson, E. F. Lewis and E. P. Hartman were made headquarters detectives to fill vacancies left by the death of James A. Springmann, the retirement of Harry A. Cole and the promotion of Sergt. Keck.

TITLELESS DRIVERS MAY AVOID ARREST

No Campaign Is Planned Against Late Applicants Soon After Jan. 1.

If, after January 1, you're one of the estimated 12,000 motor car owners who will not have obtained their titles by then, you may get by without running into official questions—if you're lucky.

Indications are now that no special drive will be set in motion by police to round up car owners who are driving their cars but have not obtained titles.

However, Capt. B. A. Lamb, acting supervisor of the traffic bureau, said yesterday that motorists halted in connection with violations of traffic ordinances undoubtedly would have to face questioning in regard to their titles.

Queried as to whether if a motorist had filed his title application, but had not yet received the title this would constitute compliance with the law, Traffic Director William A. Van Duzer quoted the following section of the traffic act:

"* * * The owner of a motor vehicle or trailer registered in the District of Columbia shall not, after the 1st day of January, 1932, operate or permit or cause to be operated any such vehicle upon any public highway in the District without first obtaining a certificate of title therefor."

The late rush of title seekers which developed two days ago had diminished somewhat yesterday. By closing time tomorrow approximately 108,000 of the estimated 120,000 vehicles in the District will have been titled, according to the traffic authorities.

Old Grads to Vie At Central's Fete

Dancing Also on Program for High School Reunion Jan. 1.

Athletic contests between graduates and students will feature the twenty-second annual reunion of the Central High School Alumni Association, which will be held in the school building New Year's Day.

Rifle matches, basket ball and swimming meets, with the old grads pitted against students, are scheduled.

The gathering will commence at 2 o'clock. There will be dancing. The George Washington University Troubadours will present their musical production, "Happy Landings."

Legion Dance Is Held At Marine Barracks

Entertained by Edith Reed's Radio Children, members of the District of Columbia Department, American Legion, last night held their first annual membership dance at the Marine Barracks. The Marine Band furnished the music.

To spur on Legionnaires in paying their dues the membership committee months ago planned last night's affair with the stipulation that admittance would be only by a paid-up 1932 membership card.

Salvation Army Chief Here Lauded for Work

Capt. James Longino, territorial auditor for the Salvation Army Social Service Centers throughout the United States, completed a two-day inspection of the local bureau at 102 B street northwest yesterday.

Capt. Longino complimented Brigadier J. G. McGee on the work of the Social Service Bureau, especially for its effort in finding work for a number of unemployed over the Christmas holidays.

$28,680 IS LOW BID FOR MARKET SHEDS

Fidelity Construction Would Take 130 Days for Job; Award Held Up.

The Fidelity Construction Co., Inc., appeared to be the lowest of seven bidders on the construction of sheds on the Farmers Market site in Southwest Washington after the bids had been opened yesterday afternoon by Roland M. Brennan, chief clerk of the District Engineering Department. The estimate was $28,680.

Because of certain alternative proposals, however, some of the close competitive contractors may be awarded the project. The Fidelity Construction Co. would complete the job in 130 calendar days.

With the awarding of the contract for the erection of sheds, the long-drawn-out controversy over the location of the Farmers Market will be closed. The Commissioners have enough money on hand to pay for the one acquired lot, now held up by an appeal from the award of a condemnation jury, and to construct the sheds.

For a while there was danger of the whole matter being returned to Congress on a technicality, but the Terminal Refrigerating & Storage Corporation saved the market for the Southwest by selling to the District government for $5,000 a lot in the site which the condemnation jury had valued at $32,000.

The market is bounded by Tenth, Eleventh, E and F streets southwest. District officials were not inclined to take seriously the danger that the Pennsylvania Railway will adopt the proposal of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission in the near future and abandon its tracks in the Southwest section.

A market master's quarters, a watchman's quarters, and a lunchroom also are to be built for the farmers along with the sheds.

Government Worker Found Dead at Home

Sidney J. Howell, 63 years old, employed at the Government Printing Office, was found dead of heart attack last night after police had been called to force the door of his apartment at 1126 Eleventh street northwest.

Dr. John J. Lynch, of 3120 N street northwest, told police he had been treating the man for some time and attempted to get him on the telephone several times yesterday. He notified the resident manager of the apartment, who, with the janitor, tried to rouse Mr. Howell. Failing, police were called. Two daughters, both living in Chicago, survive.

Intruder Is Seized In Field Residence

12 Police Answer Burglar Alarm Sounded During Scuffle in Home.

Touching off a burglar alarm in the home of Mrs. Marshall Field, at 2600 Sixteenth street northwest, yesterday afternoon during a scuffle between a butler and a disgruntled former employe resulted in the scurrying to the residence of several police cars containing approximately a dozen policemen and the subsequent arrest of the former employe.

The man arrested, Peter Faulds, 33 years old, was held at the Tenth Precinct on a charge of investigation. Charles Long, the butler, told police that Faulds had attempted to force his way past him into the house. A fracas ensued during which the burglar alarm was touched off.

Faulds informed police that he had gone to the Field residence to "get even with the man who told on me." Mrs. Field was at home in an upstairs chamber at the time of the incident, servants telling police that she was indisposed.

CAPPER IS OPPOSED TO REORGANIZATION OF DISTRICT'S RULE

Best-Governed Municipality in Nation, He States in Reply to LaGuardia.

RAPS MANAGERIAL FORM OF GOVERNMENT HERE

Says Commissioners' Power Should Be Increased; Holaday Backs Stand.

Opposition to sweeping reorganization of the District government proposed by Representative Florello H. LaGuardia (Republican), New York, was expressed yesterday by Senator Arthur Capper (Republican), Kansas, chairman of the Senate District committee.

"The District of Columbia is unquestionably the best governed municipality in the country," Senator Capper said.

He agreed with Representative LaGuardia that some details of administration now left to Congress should be dispensed with, but thought this could be remedied by simply increasing the powers of the Commissioners.

Unique Situation Here.

Senator Capper took issue with the LaGuardia proposal to institute a managerial form of government here. He said he is not opposed to the city manager system as such, and is advocating its adaptation to municipalities in his own State. But he thinks a unique situation exists here, and the commission form of government more adequately meets it.

Nevertheless, the District committee chairman intends to study the LaGuardia suggestions. The New York representative told the House the present arrangement is "cumbersome, unwieldy and unsatisfactory;" that members of Congress waste too much time on such petty details as "paving and repaving of streets, lamp posts and push cart peddlers;" that they serve as a "board of aldermen" on District matters.

"After you are through establishing your fiscal arrangements, after you have fixed the taxes, we should get right down to the fundamentals of what is in the best interests of the people living here in the District and the country in general and should appoint a committee to study any necessary reorganization of the government of the City of Washington," said Mr. LaGuardia.

Little to Complain Of.

Senator Capper made it plain that he has no objection to such a study. But concerning the efficiency of the present system, he has little to complain of.

"There is no city in the country in which you will find less graft than Washington," said the chairman of the Senate District committee.

"There is no other city in which a closer check is kept on expenditures and appropriations. It is true that members of Congress are sometimes called on to consider details that the Commissioners could just as well handle, given a little more power. But I, for one, am not shirking that duty."

Termed Most Capable.

Representative William P. Holaday (Republican), Illinois, a member of the District appropriations committee, took a similar stand on the efficiency of the Capital's present government. He thinks the present Commissioners are "the most capable" Washington has ever had. The Police Department he considers "one of the worst in the country," but believes it is "improving" under the administration of Police Commissioner Herbert B. Crosby and Superintendent of Police Pelham D. Glassford.

Bills already have been introduced to increase the powers of the Commissioners by broadening their authority to make regulations. Another measure would give the District a delegate on the floor of both Houses to answer questions affecting the District. The latter proposal was recently championed by Senator J. Hamilton Lewis (Democrat), Illinois, new member of the Senate District committee.

Hearings on District Tax Before Senators Is Urged

A protest against "piecemeal" tax legislation and a request that since residents of the District have no vote or representation in Congress, they at least be allowed to present their views to a Senate committee were contained in resolutions adopted yesterday by the finance committee of the Washington Chamber of Commerce.

Before adopting the two resolutions, the committee under the chairmanship of E. G. Bliss, indorsed the stand recently taken on tax legislation by the joint committee on fiscal relations.

The chamber's committee expressed the strong belief that piecemeal tax legislation, drafted without reference to the tax system as a whole was apt to result in inequities of the tax burden.

In place of the present system of adjusting District taxes, the committee's resolution urged that the District Commissioners be allowed to recommend tax increases when they discover a need for additional funds, and a careful study of the tax situation as a whole be made before necessary increases are made.

Officers Are Chosen By Y's Men's Club

New officers of the Y's Men's Club were elected yesterday at a meeting held at the Hamilton Hotel.

Those elected were Fred Mettleship, president; C. D. Kenney, first vice president; R. R. Shivers, second vice president; James T. Lewis, third vice president; Louis B. Nichols, secretary and treasurer, and Leo George, Edgar A. Drumm, Frank B. Hoffman, William Otte, Elmer Huffer and H. J. Miller, directors.

Boy's Arm Fractured in Fall.

Donald Holiday, 7 years old, of 616 3 street northwest, is in Emergency Hospital with a fractured arm suffered when he fell down three steps t his home. The accident happened Monday, but he was not believed to have been badly hurt. When the arm continued to pain him, however, the fracture was discovered yesterday.

BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES

BIRTHS REPORTED.

Walter and Geneva Gaskins, girl.
Joseph and Evelyn Manning, boy.
Timothy H. and Mabel Kingsley, boy.
Aristides H. and Martina Chaconas, boy
George E. and Regina A. Boswell, boy.
Philip L. and Nancy R. Porter, boy.
Gilbert W. and Amelia E. Allen, boy.
Harold W. and Ruth L. Beall, boy.
Theodore S. and Agnes L. Gochenour, girl.
Raymond M. and Mary E. Bott, girl.
Harry K. and Lillian H. Howes, girl.
Lester L. and Virginia M. Rogers, girl.
Walter R. and Pauline V. Roberts, girl.
Francis P. and Eileen R. Hunt, girl.
James N. and Emma M. Hall, girl.
Harold M. and Edith M. Lippard, girl.
Martin F. and Elsie A. Fitzpatrick, girl.
Clifton W. and Charlotte R. Carter, girl.
Antonio and Adelina Piccioni, girl.
Melvin and Helen Walter, boy.
Frank C. and Susie L. Curtis, boy.
Don. K. and Hazel M. Smith, boy.
Martin R. and Grace A. Thorp, boy.
Lloyd H. and Agatina Franklin, boy.
Samuel N. and Magdalen T. Smart, boy.
Jefferson D. and Helen V. Perry, boy.
Morris and Clara Berger, girl.
John C. and Florence McGuire, girl.
Archie M. and Irene E. Colvin, girl.
Albert E. and Grace V. Montague, girl.
Joseph E. and Margaret R. Garner, girl.
Harold and Ruth N. Stoll, girl.
Fred R. and Dorothy F. Barnes, girl.
Robert A. and Charlotte D. Gabriel, girl.
Thomas C. and Julia J. Jones, girl.
William L. and Georgiena Larkin, girl.
Harkey E. and Asia Baker, girl.
Jennings B. and Maggie M. Lane, girl.
Pete and Mary Paulini, girl.
Western W. and Lessie B. Little, boy.
Babe and Pearl Warner, boy.
Lewis and Dorothy Johnson, boy.
Luther and Luellen Martin, boy.
Alexander and Francis Hart, girl.
Herman and Thelma Hicks, girl.
Richard and Rhoda Beasley, girl.
Heywood V. and Cora V. Sloan, boy.
Frank and Pearl Hart, boy.
Edward and Ethel Johnson, boy.
Saul and Minnie Green, boy.
Walter and Geneva Gaskins, boy.
Daniel and Edna Saunders, girl.
Ralph J. and Ruth Bunche, girl.
William and Carrie Brown, girl.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Charles H. Kramer, jr., 21, and Hazel C. Walker, 19. The Rev. B. L. Dominico.
George W. Boyle, 36, and Tereta Shaeffer, 23. The Rev. P. C. Coe.
Henry W. Candler, 49, and Minnie A. Stone, 45. The Rev. H. L. Collier.
Dino Torboli, 22, and Virginia Zanelotti, 19. The Rev. N. M. DeCarlo.
Freeman A. Willett, 22, and Thelma Fearson, 20. The Rev. W. W. McIntyre.
Thomas L. Underwood, 33, and Ottille Eggiman, 25. The Rev. A. E. Barrows.
Howard F. Ralph, 30, and Mary K. Tierney, 22. The Rev. J. R. Koch.
Alec J. Markham, 23, and Martha V. Boyd, 21, both of Richmond. The Rev. C. P. Ryland.
John C. Orange, 21, and Ivey P. Baugh, 21, both of Richmond. The Rev. J. C. Ball.
Loney F. Ingram, 21, Atlanta, Ga., and Eleanor L. Burke, 21, Irvington, Md. The Rev. C. P. Ryland.
James A. Garnett, 26, and Virginia L. Hatcher, 21, both of Richmond. The Rev. J. C. Ball.
Lewis B. Mullinix, 53, and Annie E. Becraft, 58, both of Baltimore. The Rev. L. I. McDoulle.
Robert F. Johnson, 31, and Alice G. Andrews, 21, both of Baskerville, Va. The Rev. A. F. Poore.
William H. Dennis, 46, and Lydia E. Ferguson, 43, both of Richmond. The Rev. A. F. Poore.
Samuel Carter, 23, and Ruth Willis, 25. The Rev. C. T. Murray.
Judson Helm, 25, and Regina Haywood, 27. The Rev. Thomas Brown.
William J. Harvey, jr., 23, and Madaline Thomas, 23. The Rev. W. D. Jarvis.
Charles Hawkins, 28, and Irene Gibson, 26. The Rev. R. D. Grymes.
Raymond Mills, 30, and Eliza Tyman, 26. The Rev. C. H. Yancey.
Raymond Hawkins, 23, and Annie Robinson, 18. The Rev. L. H. Sheafer.
Lorenzie Johnson, 22, and Florine Ashton, 20. The Rev. John Richard.
Douglas West, 34, and Malinda Coats, 33. The Rev. K. W. Roy.
Edward Manzilla, 27, and Valeria Watkins, 25. The Rev. K. W. Roy.
Hubert Jordan, 34, and Inez Hansbery, 36. The Rev. P. H. Yancey.
Albert W. Thornton, 33, Hyattsville, Md., and Helen L. Murphy, 21, Wheaton, Md.
Roy Fowler, 22, Gainesville, Fla., and Charlotte Smith, 22, 300 Rhode Island avenue northeast.
George W. Mason, 48, Silver Spring, Md., and Maggie M. Taylor, 39, 1924 Fifteenth street southeast.
Jack R. Sellers, 21, Indianapolis, Ind., and Gladys Douhart, 19, New Orleans, La.

DEATHS REPORTED.

William S. Minnix, 75 yrs., 3028 Newark st. nw.
John Perrin, 74 yrs., Washington Hotel.
Ferdinand Hooton, 71 yrs., National Homeopathic Hosp.
William J. Rogers, 69 yrs., U. S. Soldiers Home Hosp.
Harry McCaul, 59 yrs., Tuberculosis Hosp.
Phillip Pugh, 54 yrs., Casualty Hosp.
Andrew A. Doonis, 37 yrs., in auto front of 1243 Six and One-Half st. nw.
Guy B. Oldaker, 35 yrs., Walter Reed Gen. Hosp.
Samuel W. Blankenship, jr., 4 yrs., 2928 Yost place ne.
John H. Fields, 70 yrs., 312 L st. nw.
James N. Brooks, 58 yrs., 2125 Newport place nw.
Anna S. Dyson, 54 yrs., Providence Hosp.
Lillie Harris, 51 yrs., 439 Twentieth st. nw.
Rose Evans, 47 yrs., Gallinger Hosp.
Robert A. White, 44 yrs., Freedmen's Hosp.
Louise F. Young, 42 yrs., 4900 Jay st. ne.
Walter H. Wright, 31 yrs., St. Elizabeth's Hosp.
Mamie Page, 24 yrs., 1819 Thirteenth st. nw.
Melvine Dockett, 12 yrs., Casualty Hosp.
Leroy Fauntroy, 12 yrs., en route Georgetown Hosp.
Lucille E. Matthews, 11 mos., 1019 Third st. sw.

Housewife Sees Fowl Fade Off Sill Over Back Fence

Mrs. Catherine Sebastian's turkey for dinner disappeared over the back fence of her home at 918 M street northwest late yesterday while she watched, powerless to halt the impending famine.

Earlier in the day she had prepared the 12-pound bird, roasting it to a turn and basting it to brown crispness. Then she placed it on a window sill to cool.

About 6 o'clock, she told police, she heard a noise at the window and ran to investigate. She saw a colored woman descending a step ladder with the turkey balanced on one hand.

Mrs. Sebastian shouted, but the shout only lent wings to the heels of the marauder. The woman disappeared over the back fence, the turkey with her. The menu at the Sebastian house last night included all the trimmings, nothing else.

Child, 5, Is Seriously Hurt In Tricycle-Bicycle Crash

A 5-year-old child was seriously injured yesterday in a collision between a tricycle and a bicycle.

The child, Francis Saulsbury, of 1318 Queen street northeast, was pedaling his tricycle east on Queen street near his home. William E. Wells, 15 years old, of 1616 Trinidad avenue northeast, the other party to the accident, was riding his bicycle in an alley between Trinidad avenue, Fourteenth, Childreth and Queen streets.

The elder boy attempted to make a right turn into Queen street and struck Francis' tricycle, throwing the child to the pavement. The boy's father, Gould H. Saulsbury, was notified of the accident and took the child to Providence Hospital. His injuries were diagnosed as a concussion of the brain, a possible skull fracture and cuts about the face.